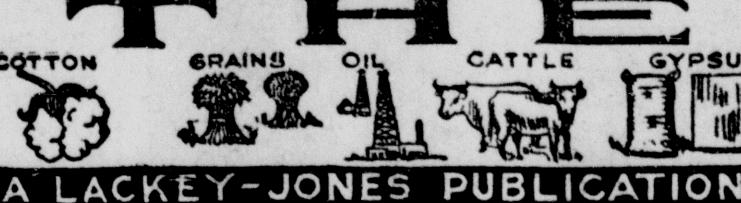


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Stevenson Given Election by 349

Texas' Closest Race Ends in Slight Lead

Coke Stevenson was announced winner of the runoff primary election for United States senator Wednesday when final, unofficial tabulations in the vote contest were made. Stevenson was given a majority of only 349 votes over Lyndon Johnson.

With almost one million votes cast in a election in which a light vote had been forecast, the outcome of last Saturday's voting remained in doubt for three days after the polls closed.

In Jones County, as in most of the counties in this area of the state, Johnson took a substantial lead in the voting.

The vote in this county, as finally tabulated was 2,151 for Johnson, 1,140 for Stevenson. In Fisher County Johnson was given 1,343 votes to 766 for Stevenson.

In the state as a whole, the vote as announced by the Texas Election Bureau at Dallas, gave Stevenson 494,555 to 494,206 for his opponent.

Stevenson, former governor, took the lead in early returns Saturday and held it until late Saturday night, when Johnson forged ahead. It then was a see-saw fight, with first one then the other in the forefront, throughout Sunday as additional returns came in.

Sunday night Johnson held a considerable majority in the count, but Stevenson nosed him out again Monday.

The vote count will not be official

until returns are canvassed by the State Democratic Committee, which will certify the nominee for place on the general election ballot.

One of the political advisors for Lyndon Johnson said Wednesday that the vote returns in Gregg County probably will be contested by the apparent loser in the ballot battle. Stevenson was given 4,221 to Johnson's 1,978 votes in Gregg County.

Johnson is reported to have said that "ever since the big city returns were in late Saturday night, my vote has increased steadily—except for the alleged 'error' and re-capitulation."

"It is not meant to question the Texas Election Bureau, but the fact remains that my gains have been in votes counted and my gains have been steadily offset by corrections."

Texas election officials said the current race is the closest in the history of the state, considering the large number of votes cast.

Stockholder Meeting Of Hospital Called

An important meeting of stockholders of the Hamlin Memorial Hospital will be held in the Hamlin High School auditorium Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, it was announced this week.

Directors, who called the session urged all stockholders to attend and discuss important matters concerning the medical institution.

First Baptist Church Music School To Open Sunday Night, Close Friday

A course in church music will be taught in the First Baptist Church of Hamlin, beginning Sunday night, and continuing for six nights, according to Rev. A. R. Posey, pastor.

Directed by J. D. Riddle, who has been with the Baptist State Music Department of Texas for many years, the school is designed to aid in a better understanding and appreciation of church music.

Riddle is well known over the state as a capable teacher, Rev.



J. D. RIDDLE
**Cotton Storage
Is Planned for
Warehouse Here**

Plans for setting up bonded warehouse storage space for government loan cotton in Hamlin were being discussed this week, and an announcement of final arrangements is expected within a few days.

Under the present federal farm guarantee, the cotton growers are being paid an advance loan on all cotton put into government warehouses, and the amount advanced is, in some cases, as much as the market price for the cotton.

It is estimated that Hamlin storage warehouses at present can take care of approximately 20,000 bales, and it is possible the capacity of the warehouses will be enlarged.

Revival Meeting Is Planned for Calvary

A revival meeting will begin in the Calvary Baptist Church in Hamlin Sunday, Sept. 12, it was announced this week by members of the congregation.

Rev. M. H. Pruitt of Talco will be the evangelist in charge, and the music will be directed by Les Winkle.

Services will be held twice daily, the pastor, Rev. W. E. Nunn, said Thursday.

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While most business houses in Hamlin will remain open throughout the day, the Farmers & Merchants National Bank, and the post office will be closed all day Monday, September 6, in honor of Labor Day.

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C. A. BOHER

Posey said. He will teach a class in music theory.

Assisting Riddle in the school will be C. A. Boher, who will teach a class in voice. Boher has had many years experience in voice instruction, Rev. Posey said.

Following each class period will be a general service of interpretation and singing by those who attend the school.

All members of the First Baptist Church are especially urged to attend, and all others interested are invited to take part in the school.

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Nine Directors Named For Hamlin Hospital

A group of nine directors were selected by stockholders of the Hamlin Memorial Hospital at a meeting of the organization in the high school auditorium last Thursday evening.

The directors were selected by written ballot from a list of 18 nominees presented.

Those chosen were C. P. American, Fred H. Britton, Holly Toler, Willard Maberry, Clyde R. Angel, Tom Holman, J. B. Terrell Sr., J. S. Inzer and Fred B. Moore Sr.

Two Tests Near Pay Sand in West Hamlin Oil Field

With two completions during the week-end, two new wells were spudded in and drilling began in the West Hamlin oil field, reports Wednesday.

The Dr Bryant, No. 3, in the southeast corner of the 100 acre lease on the G. A. Pele farm, was below the 1,500 foot level and drilling ahead rapidly.

The Ellis Hall, drilling a south offset to the General Crude Oil Company's well on the Jackson farm, was also nearing the 1,500 foot depth after spudding in the latter part of last week. The well is also located in the Poe land.

A producer, estimated at more than 300 barrels, was brought in on the Merry Brothers and Perini lease. The well showed pay in dual production from the Swastika and the Palo Pinto reef.

Oil men estimated that the Bryant and the Ellis Hall wells will strike producing sands—if at all—about September 20, when they expect to reach about 4,000 feet.

Sixty Register In First Day of Draft on Monday

Sixty men in the 25-year-old age group registered in the peacetime selective service in Hamlin Monday, the first day of the draft registration, according to Holly Toler, who was appointed, with Perry Sparks, postmaster, to oversee the Hamlin sign-up.

By noon Wednesday the number had risen to more than 150, and others were coming in throughout the day, Toler said.

"In Hamlin," Toler declared, "We want men in any of the age groups from 18 to 25, to register when it is most convenient for them. We do not require them to wait until the day set aside for their particular age group. The 18-year-old men may register now," he said.

Actual registration was taking place in the lobby of the Hamlin post office, where Sparks provided table and chairs for the purpose.

The clerical work of taking care of registrants was being done by a group of 15 volunteer women, with at least two of them on hand at all hours of the day from 8 to 5.

Under rules prescribed by the national draft board, men born in 1922 after August 30, were to register Monday; those born in 1924 were to register Tuesday and Wednesday; men born in 1926 would register Thursday and Friday, and those born in 1928 were to register September 4 and 7.

COACHES PREDICT

1948 Version of Pied Pipers Will Be Ready for Stamford; Game Is Friday

With the first game of the current season only one week away, Coaches dictated their boys will be hard to Red Burditt and John Howell predict.

The Pied Pipers will meet Stamford in the first game of the season Friday night, Sept. 10.

The team this year is made up of boys, most of whom have had little experience, and who are not very heavy, but the coaches said they hope to have them well drilled in the fundamentals of the game that they will be able to use their weight advantage to their own benefit.

Asking Hamlin citizens for their support, the coaches invited anyone interested to watch the team practice at anytime and also urged the public to attend the football games. Two practice sessions are to be back in time for the game



August Rainfall Here Less Than Half Inch

Rainfall in Hamlin during August was less than half an inch, according to the gauge at the City Pump station Wednesday.

Only slight traces were registered during the early part of the month, and the only measurable moisture came Sunday, August 29, when .41 of an inch was gauged.

Cardinals Take Win From Tigers In Tight Game

Forging ahead after five innings of nip-and-tuck baseball, the Hamlin Cardinals defeated the Slaton Tigers on the Hamlin field Saturday night 7 to 5.

Featured by a home run by Brad Rowland Jr., the Cardinals managed to pull away from the Tigers in the seventh inning 2 to 1.

In the sixth the Cardinals tallied the first counter, and the Tigers tied the score when they made a run. Rowland's homer set the pace that brought victory to the local players.

McCoy, on the mound for most of the game, struck out 14 and walked one batter. For the Tigers, French struck out one; Banks struck out three and walked two; Faulkner struck out two and walked one. Lineup and batting record of Hamlin's team follows:

Player	AB	H
Brown	4	1
Marshall	3	1
Roland Jr.	3	1
Weaver	2	0
Johnson	1	0
Jenkins	4	1
McCoy	4	0
Perryman	4	0
Holland	3	0
Roland Sr.	4	1

The buses will not make side trips for individual students when those students live within a mile of the designated route, Hutchinson said.

Cafeterias will begin operation on

Thursday, September 9, in both high school and elementary school. The charge for cafeteria service will be

the same as last year, 25 cents for elementary and 30 cents for high school. The prices include a com-

West Texas Chamber of Commerce to Oppose Changes in State Water Laws

West Texas will vigorously oppose the writing of new water laws, recently proposed at a meeting in Austin, which stand as a threat against municipal and domestic needs for water, it has been announced following a meeting of the Water Resource Commission for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in Abilene.

In a declaration of principles the commission went on record in strenuous opposition to that section of the proposed code which provides that all previous appropriations of water shall now be regarded as vested right of priority.

This, it was pointed out by D. A. Badeen, general manager of WTCC, is wholly in conflict with present laws, which allow a city, town or municipality to recover from other inferior users all water necessary for domestic purposes.

"The new proposal makes worthless our municipalities' present superior rights, and such West Texas waters as are now being used for big industries and rice growers on the Gulf coast can never be recovered for our own use," it was pointed out in the committee's declaration.

The entire WTCC water commission came here for the meeting. It is composed of Winfield Holbrook, Plainview chairman; James N. Allison, Midland; W. O. Fortenberry, Lubbock; C. E. Coombs, Stamford; and Charles South of Cleburne. Homer Hunter, WTCC consulting engineer, was also present.

The group is making its report to President C. P. Dodson and the executive board, following the protest recently offered for a revision of the Texas water codes, by the Texas Water Conservation Association.

"That part of the proposed surface water code, which gives the present big dams the right to appropriate the ordinary flow, underflow, storm, flood or rain waters in amounts and quantities equal to the holding capacity of such dam's owner and above the right to impound water for domestic purposes," is opposed by the group as "in conflict with Article 7472 which gives our municipalities the unquestioned right to recover the unappropriated for inferior uses."

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"On our Brazos and Colorado watersheds where appropriations are now nine times as large for

complete meal, with milk and dessert.

Registration of senior students with 10% or more credits will be from 8:30 until 10:30 Tuesday; juniors, with from seven to 10 credits, will register from 10:30 until 12:00 Tuesday; sophomores, with from three to seven units of credit, will register from 1:00 until 3:00 o'clock; and freshmen, with less than three units of credit, will report at 3 o'clock for registration.

The eighth grade will report at the high school at 3 p.m. in Tuesday for registration, inasmuch as this grade will be combined into the high school this term.

All grade pupils will report to their buildings on Wednesday morning, September 8, for registration. Grades from three through seven, and grades one and two will report, and grades one and tow will report to the Primary school.

A large bus

buses will be operated by the Hamlin district for the Celotex route, but delivery has not yet been made.

School buses

will begin operation Wednesday, September 8 on the same routes as last year, and students are advised to be ready early and watch for the buses on the first day or two until schedules have been definitely settled.

Buses

will operate along the designated county roads and will make all reasonable efforts to give service for the convenience of the greatest number of students.

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Additional Revenues for Cities and Counties Seen in Proposed WTCC Law

Additional revenues for cities and counties in West Texas will be made available if the next session of the Texas legislature passes an enabling act proposed by the Soil Conservation Commission of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. The act will be prepared on the assumption that HJR 24 will be passed as constitutional amendment at the general election in November.

It provides for repeal of the present 30 cent ad valorem state tax and makes it possible for the counties to re-levy the same amount within the county for farm-to-market road and flood control purposes.

Under the program adopted by the WTCC group, the enabling act will contain provisions which will make a part of this money available to the municipalities for flood control and water improvement projects. The remainder will be divided equally between flood control and farm-to-market road work in the county. The committee is working on the assumption that flood control means keeping excess waters out of the streams and on the land, and therefore soil conservation work can be carried out with these funds.

The bill also will provide that



Delighting in an afternoon picnic snack on the lawn of the Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children in Dallas, these young patients enjoy recreation and companionship while undergoing corrective treatment.

Pictured left to right are: Clara Bryan, Midland; Wanda Williams, Eustace; Marguerite Clark, Fort Worth; Melva Sue Bonner, Tyler; and Anna Beth Goodwin, Dallas.

Three of these girls are recovering from the devastating effects of polio at the Scottish Rite Hospital, the remedial center of Texas for that dread disease. The facilities of the hospital, which are provided by gifts and bequests, are made available at no cost to those for whom treatment would otherwise be unobtainable.

It was pointed out that with the passage of HJR 24 as constitutional amendment, it will be necessary for the legislature to pass an enabling act which will permit the counties to re-levy the 30 cent tax. Each county then will be required to authorize this passage by its vote, before the law can be put into effect.

This enabling act will be sponsored by the WTCC and will be offered in the legislature by Sterling Williams, according to General Manager D. A. Bandeen.

VETERANS' NEWS

Veterans Administration has prohibited the expenditure of any government funds for veterans' training courses of a recreational or vocational character after July 1, 1948.

The new VA policy is in compliance with the Independent Offices Appropriation Act for 1949 in which Congress directed that VA provide no further payments for courses of this type.

These include, generally, such courses as photography, dancing, personality development, entertainment courses, sports and athletics, bar-tending and certain music courses.

Training veterans to fly or related aviation courses will be paid for by VA only where the veteran establishes that the training is in connection with his present or contemplated business or occupation and can pass required medical examinations.

Veterans presently enrolled in courses of this type will be allowed to respond to X-ray or radium treatment.

But no future enrollments will be authorized by VA unless veterans completely justify that such training is in connection with their present or completed business or occupation.

Courses of education in approved public or private elementary or secondary schools or institutions of higher learning are not affected by the new VA policy. Neither has there been any change in the status of recognized vocational training institutional on-the-farm training or other training-on-the-job.

"The prohibition of the Appropriation Act of 1949 is in accord with and reemphasizes the underlying spirit and intent of the educational and training provisions of the Servicemen's Readjustment Act," a VA spokesman pointed out.

Therefore, veterans should not seek to pursue courses for avocational or recreational purposes, but

Cancer Deaths On Increase

Hamlinites were advised this week of an increase of more than 18 per cent in Texas cancer deaths during the five years between 1943 and 1947 has been announced by Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer.

Texas mortality tables compiled by the Texas State Department of Health showed 1943 cancer deaths at 5,557, as compared to 6,770 for 1947.

The greater part of this tremendous increase in cancer deaths is attributable to needless delay in seeking treatment, once a person has belief to suspect he has a cancerous growth," Dr. Cox said. He added his belief that advertising of patent medicines and so-called cancer quacks puts dangerous and misleading information before the public, thereby adding to the cancer mortality rate. This is because people are lulled by such propaganda and do not receive proper diagnosis and treatment until too late.

Dr. Cox said that almost two-thirds of all cancer cases rely on surgery to remove the cancerous tissue, while the other third may respond to X-ray or radium treatment.

"These three methods are the only means by which the disease can be treated," he said. "Self-medication, serums, colored lights, pastes and diets are absolutely useless."

The Health Officer pointed out that the greatest defense against cancer is an early diagnosis and competent treatment by a reputable physician. He urged especial

attention to any unnatural bleeding from any body opening, lumps in the breast and skin sores which fail to heal normally.

Six Millions Receive Cash Payments from Social Security Act

Thirteen is indeed a lucky number for over six million Americans who are receiving cash payments under the several provisions of the Social Security Act. For it was just 13 years ago, on August 10, 1935, that the Social Security Act became law, according to a release to The Herald from the Abilene office of the Social Security Administration.

This law, which was designed to provide a measure of financial security to the people of the nation, was considered by President Roosevelt as one of the outstanding achievements of his administration. Improvements and extensions were made by amendments in 1939 and again in 1946. Further improvements have been considered by each succeeding session of Congress.

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Veterans News

The questions and answers below about veterans problems are carried as a service to former service connected personnel by The Herald. Material for the column is supplied by the area office of the Veterans Administration at Lubbock.

Q.—My brother was blinded while in service during World War II. Is he entitled to anything to help him overcome his handicap?

A.—A blind veteran entitled to compensation for a service-connected disability may receive, at government expense, a guide dog and various other devices necessary to assist him overcome his handicap.

Q.—If I go to a private physician to determine whether I need hospital treatment or domiciliary care, will the government pay the cost of the examination?

A.—The government will pay the cost of examinations by private physician only if Veterans Administration has given the physician prior authority for such examination.

Q.—How much time do I have in which to complete my education under the provisions of the GI Bill?

A.—Your education, under benefits provided in the Servicemen's Readjustment Act (GI Bill) must be completed nine years after July 25, 1947.

Q.—What is the maximum period of training a disabled veteran may receive under the provisions of the Vocational Rehabilitation Act?

A.—Four years is the maximum, but Veterans Administration may extend the time if factors in any case warrant an additional period for the rehabilitation of the disabled veteran.

Q.—How much floor space, feed space and water space is required for growing ducks?

A.—Recommendations of the duck department of a famous feed concern's demonstration farm per duckling are:

Floor Feeder Water

Age—Space Space Space
1 day to 2 wks. ½ sq. ft. ½ in. ½ in.
2 wks. to 4 wks. 1 sq. ft. 1 in. 1 in.
4 wks. to 7 wks. 2 sq. ft. 2 in. 2 in.
7 wks. to Mkt. 3 sq. ft. 2 in. 2 in.

Q.—How many cows should a bull be able to service in a year?

A.—A bull from one to two years

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OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

yllis Richardson Is
ride of Larry McCoy

Marriage vows were exchanged by Willis Richardson and Larry McCoy Sunday afternoon, August 29, at the home of the bride's parents, and Mrs W. D. Stahl of Leveland.

The Rev. Dan Jones of Hamlin officiated at the double ring ceremony in a setting of greenery and white gladioli.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother, Gene Richardson, wore an all-white dress with a black work yoke. She carried a white bouquet showered with gardenias and white satin streamers.

Edith Ann Scott, bridesmaid, wore an aqua sepium trim dress, and her flowers were carnations.

Leon Lowe, formerly of Hamlin, was best man.

Traditional wedding music was played throughout the ritual.

At the reception, immediately following, Miss Beverly Harvey served the four-tiered all-white wedding cake, topped by a miniature bride and groom. Miss Elma Rae Brewer, San Angelo, laded the punch.

Mrs. Gene Richardson, Miss Margaret Ryan and Mrs. Leon Lowe assisted in serving and Miss Jane Adams presided at the bride book.

Out of town guests attending the wedding were: W. L. Walton, grandfather of the bride, and Mrs. Homer Massey, her aunt from Burbank, California; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McCoy, parents of the groom, Sweetwater; Mrs. C. E. McCoy and daughter of Slaton; Mrs. Effie McCoy of Los Angeles, Larry's mother; Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Walton and Mr. and Mrs. John E. Walton and son, Stan.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Richardson, Rev. and Mrs. Dan Jones, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McCoy and daughters, Kay Jane Adams, Edith Ann Scott, Margaret Ryan, Beverly Harvey, Lee Carter and Gerald Young, all of Hamlin; and Elma Rae Brewer, San Angelo; Dan Jones Jr., Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Lowe, Whiteface.

For a wedding trip to New Mexico, the bride chose a brown gabardine suit with aqua crepe blouse, brown dove feather hat and brown accessories. Her corsage was gardenias.

Mrs. McCoy, a graduate of Hamlin High School, is a sophomore at Texas Tech in Lubbock, and a member of Las Vivarachas Sorority.

McCoy, also a Hamlin graduate, is a Navy veteran and a junior in Texas Tech.

The couple will live in Lubbock, where both will continue in college.

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D. H. Pound of Colorado brought his grandson Ronald Pound to be with his mother Mrs. Lucy Moore, who is visiting her mother Mrs. J. Turner.

Gordon Bennett of Abilene was a visitor in Hamlin Tuesday. Bennett formerly lived here and was principal of the Hamlin High School.

Mrs. Mills and her brother, Dr. Hill C. House have returned from a month's vacation in Dallas, Arkansas, Missouri and Colorado.

Miss Judy Via of Breckenridge is this week of her mother, Mrs. Pat Mrs. M. T. Via.

Mrs. Young of Vernon is a guest this week of her mother, Mrs. Pat Collins in Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fuquay of Stamford have moved to Hamlin to make their home. They are living in an apartment in the Wiley Estes home.

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RETURN FROM VACATION.

Mr and Mrs Harold Bonner, Janet and Robert returned August 23 from their vacation. They visited Mrs. Bonner's brother-in-law and sister, Mr and Mrs. Clarence Jordan in Seminole, and Mrs. Bonner's brother and sister-in-law, Mr and Mrs. Clyde Clark in El Paso also they visited in Balmorhea, the children went to a summer camp near there. They visited Mr. Bonner's brother and sister-in-law, Mr and Mrs. Lester Bonner in Deming, New Mexico. Mrs. Bonner returned to her home in Sweetwater with them. They also visited Mrs. Bonner's mother, Mrs. J. W. Clark in Sweetwater.

Mr and Mrs Eddie Jay and sons, James, Ed, Jerry Fred and Gary Ted spent Friday in Dallas.

Mrs Clinton Gillis and Mrs. Dode Sanford of Abilene spent the weekend in Hamlin with their parents, Mr and Mrs W F Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Henson and two daughters, Helen Andrea and Ellen Henson have recently moved to Hamlin. They are living in the G. W. Kincaid apartment. Henson is superintendent of a construction crew at Celotex.

At present the troupe is located at Anchorage.

Miss Jackie McCoy Is Member of Rangerettes

Miss Jackie McCoy, who spent her early childhood in Hamlin, is now a member of the Rangerettes, an entertainment troupe playing in Alaska.

Miss McCoy, the daughter of Mrs. Effie McCoy now of Los Angeles, attained wide local recognition as an accordian player in this vicinity.

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Hamlin Births

To Mr and Mrs. Fred Vaughan Jr., a son, named Jimmy Dale, Friday, August 27 in the Hamlin Memorial Hospital. The child weighed seven pounds and three and one-half ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. J Frank Woodard Jr., a daughter, in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene. The child weighed five pounds and 13 ounces, and has been named Linda Joyce. Woodard is employed in Hamlin at the Spencer Lumber Company.

D. H. Pound of Colorado brought his grandson Ronald Pound to be with his mother Mrs. Lucy Moore, who is visiting her mother Mrs. J. Turner.

Gordon Bennett of Abilene was a visitor in Hamlin Tuesday. Bennett formerly lived here and was principal of the Hamlin High School.

Mrs. Mills and her brother, Dr. Hill C. House have returned from a month's vacation in Dallas, Arkansas, Missouri and Colorado.

Miss Judy Via of Breckenridge is this week of her mother, Mrs. Pat Mrs. M. T. Via.

Mrs. Young of Vernon is a guest this week of her mother, Mrs. Pat Collins in Hamlin.

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The Nations That Forget

There is a classic reference in Holy Writ to the "nations that forget God," and many students of the Bible believe that the current generation is witnessing, more than has any other, the fulfillment of this prophecy.

There are nations which are classed as Christian, and there are other nations which may be said to be anti-Christian. But modern events have served to destroy the line of distinction between the two classes to such an extent that an observer might well determine that all nations have forgotten God!

Here in America, a land whose foundation was built on the basic concept of the aid of Divine Providence, most of those in authority have abandoned all pretenses to a firm belief in the leadership of the Lord of Hosts. And many of those who still pay lip service to God have shown little desire to follow the teachings of His Word.

Abandoning the age-old customs of morality and humble dependence upon the guidance of God, national leaders in recent years have shown little of either, but instead have blatantly held themselves out as sources of wisdom and final arbiters of the destiny of mankind.

It is small wonder that our generation has succeeded in getting the world into a situation where no ray of hope seems able to penetrate the gloom of national despair. It is small wonder that international relations are constantly strained to the point of bloodshed and carnage and destruction.

After two generations of failure on the part of human leadership it would be a refreshing change to have a few leaders who would advocate returning to sublime faith and trust in the God of our fathers.

After passing through the blood bath of two world wars and apparently standing upon the threshold of the third, it is high time that those in authority humble themselves, turn aside from their worship of intellectualism, and once more bow the knee in humility before the Almighty Ruler of the Universe.

There is nothing needed in America and the world today so much as a revival of old-fashioned religion. The kind that will make men love their neighbors and respect morality. Such a revival must come if the world is to be saved from ultimate destruction at the hands of the coldly intellectual crowd of men and women who have deserted the altar of God for worship of materialism.

Perhaps for too long we have had the cart before the horse. If our so-called leaders refuse to acknowledge this need,

perhaps the "little people" who have not strayed so far from the path of righteousness, should begin the trend and send new leadership to places of high authority—men who will not feel embarrassed to acknowledge simple faith in the providence of God.

In the seemingly inevitable clash between the ideology of Communism and the ideals of Christianity it would be comforting to know that once more our country had repented of its backsliding and aligned itself on the side of God—a God who has promised help in the time of trouble.

"My Vote Won't Count . . ." Frequently at election time voters are heard to remark, "I won't take time to go to the polls, because my vote won't make any difference—one vote won't count anyway."

Never in the history of Texas has that remark been more clearly refuted than in the current see-saw finish of the battle between Coke Stevenson and Lyndon Johnson.

Somewhere in Texas today are scores of men and women whose hearts were with one or the other of these candidates, but who neglected to go to the polls. If every Texan had done his duty last Saturday in voting, it is likely that one or the other of the candidates would now have a clear majority.

In this time of international crisis, and in the death struggle between democracy and totalitarianism it is a solemn obligation resting upon the shoulders of every eligible person to go to the polls and express a free choice. Such action would strengthen the sinews of democracy immeasurably.

A Half Million Texans

Paraphrasing the cliché about "forty million Frenchmen," one might say "Half a million Texans can't be wrong."

And by this device the supporters of Coke R. Stevenson could urge that their candidate in last week's primary should have been the unanimous choice of the state's voters, for Stevenson lacked only a handful of votes of reaching the half million count.

But, on the other hand, the proponents of Lyndon Johnson would have no less logical argument in claiming that their candidate should have been the unanimous choice of the voters.

Surely, in the instance of the senatorial race, a half million Texans were wrong about one candidate or the other—unless it is true that both had merit, and either would have made good as a member of the upper house of Congress.

Aviation Cadets May Rejoin Flying Group

United States Air Force will give special consideration to former Aviation Cadets whose flying instruction was ended by the curtailment of the program near the close of World War II, Captain Wayne Hall, commanding officer of the US Army and US Air Force Recruiting station in Abilene said today.

Major George P. Owen, representing an Air Force traveling team which was in Abilene August 27 explained that new quotas enable the Air Force to offer special consideration to young men who volunteer from flying duty during the war.

Under the new plan, Major Owen said, men who had qualified as Aviation Cadets during the war and who either were awaiting assignment to, or actually undergoing pilot training when the program was reduced in 1944-45, will not be obliged to take the qualified cadets will be required only to pass the physical examination to be eligible for pilot training, provided they still meet the general eligibility re-

quirements as to age, marital status and education.

Other questions may be answered by going to Abilene to the Recruiting office for interviews and the like.

Funeral Rites Monday For Miss Viola Chism

Funeral services were conducted Monday in the Hamlin Church of Christ, for Miss Viola M. Chism, 65, who died in Wimberly Falls, last Saturday.

Miss Chism was a pioneer school teacher in this section of Texas. She was born in Alameda July 18, 1883.

Bruce Proctor, minister of the North Park Church of Christ of Abilene, was in charge of the service, and burial was in the East Cemetery, directed by Barrow Funeral Directors.

Miss Chism is survived by a sister, Mrs F. M. Crow of Hamlin.

Mr and Mrs C. G. Green have returned from a vacation in Galveston.

Thomas Style Shoppe Offers New Clothing

A complete new stock of merchandise is offered Hamlin shoppers by the Thomas Style Shoppe, successor to Ewell's Dress Shop, Mrs. W. T. Thomas, manager, said this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, who came here from Abilene, purchased the business last week and took charge last Wednesday. They returned from Dallas Wednesday of this week where they bought fall and winter merchandise.

The Thomas Style Shoppe features several lines of exclusive dresses, lingerie and hose.

VISITS IN SAN DIEGO.

Mrs. John O'Neill left for San Diego, California, Wednesday, where she will visit her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Jones. Mr. and Mrs. Jones announced the birth of a son this week. Mrs. Jones is the former Lydia O'Neill of Hamlin, and Jones is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Jones of Hamlin.

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 PEACHES 31c

HEINZ, Bread and Butter
 PICKLES, quart jar 29c

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CHURCHES -

(Editor's Note—We of The Herald would like to have all the church news from the surrounding communities. Send the news to us, please!)

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Will C. House, D. D. Minister
Joe A. Simpson, superintendent
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
Mid-Week Service, Wednesday,
7:30 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. A. R. Posey, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Preaching 11:00 a. m.
Training Union 7:00 p. m.
Evening Preaching 8:00 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday
8:00 p. m.
W. M. U., Monday 4:00 p. m.
GA (Girls), Monday 9:30 a. m.
RA (Boys), Monday 9:30 a. m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Rev. Howard Smith, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Preaching 10:45 a. m.
N. Y. P. S. 7:15 p. m.
Evening Service 8:00 p. m.
Mid-Week Prayer Service, Wednesday
8:15 p. m.
W. F. M. S., Mondays 3:00 p. m.

FOURSQUARE CHURCH

Rev. Alice Harrell, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Preaching 11:00 a. m.
Crusaders 6:30 p. m.
Preaching 7:45 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday at
7:45 p. m.

Bible Study, Friday 7:45 p. m.
Circle for Ladies Missionary Society held each Monday in different homes at 2:30 p. m.

Services held at the Gravel Pit each Thursday at 7:45 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

J. Cleo Scott, Minister
Morning Bible Class 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a. m.
Evening Bible Class 6:45 p. m.
Evening Worship Hour 7:30 p. m.
Bible Study, Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH

Donald F. Berry, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Preaching 11:00 a. m.
Evening Preaching 8:00 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday at
8:00 p. m.

Bible Study, Friday 8:00 p. m.
Woman's Missionary, Tuesday at
2:00 p. m.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. W. E. Nunn, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Preaching Service 11:00 a. m.
Training Union 7:00 p. m.
Preaching Hour 8:00 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday at
8:00 p. m.

W. M. S. 2:30 p. m.
Choir Practice, Friday 8:00 p. m.

NIENDA BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. A. C. Roberts Jr., Pastor
Sunday School 10:30 a. m.
Morning Preaching 11:00 a. m.
Evening Preaching 8:00 p. m.

NEINDA METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. William McReynolds, Pastor
Every first Sunday preaching service
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Service 11:00 a. m.
Evening Service 8:00 p. m.

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Rev. Elra Phillips, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Preaching 11:00 a. m.
M. Y. F. 7:15 p. m.
Evening Service 8:00 p. m.
Mid-Week Prayer Service, Wednesday
8:15 p. m.
W. S. C. S., Mondays 3:00 p. m.

DOVIE METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Olin Butler, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Service 11:00 a. m.
Prayer Service 7:30 p. m.
Evening Service 8:00 p. m.

Taylor REA Gets Big Government Loan

A loan of \$460,000 has been made to the Taylor Electric Cooperative, which serves 25 miles of rural electric lines in Jones County, according to the office of Omar Burleson, member of congress.

The loan was granted by the Rural Electrification Administration, and is for the purpose of expanding facilities in the area served by the Taylor Cooperative.

GOLAN METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. William McReynolds, Pastor
Every third Sunday preaching service.
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Service 11:00 a. m.
Evening Service 8:00 p. m.

Collings Is Winner in Race for Court Justice

Ceci C Collings of H. Ward County won the promotion he sought from the district court bench to the 11th Court of Civil Appeals, final returns in the primary election revealed.

Collings polled more than 36,000 votes to defeat Judge Allen D Dabney of Eastland, who took more than 27,000 votes.

In Jones County Collings was given 1,907 while his opponent was given 1,364. In Fisher County the vote was Collings 1,123, Dabney, 810.

Mr and Mrs. Harold Fletcher and baby left Saturday for Florida to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Angie Gray Griffin returned Friday to their home in Los Angeles after a month's visit with Griffin's mother, Mrs. Doc Griffin.

Pvt. Elbert Grimes Is Serving in Japan Area

Pfc Elbert L Grimes, son of Mrs. Marion Grimes of Hamlin, RFD 3, is on duty with the United States occupation forces in Japan.

Grimes joined the Army in June, 1947, in Dallas, and came to Japan in November of that year. He was assigned to the 1st Platoon, 5th Special Service Co., which is stationed at Kobe, on the island of Honshu.

Mr and Mrs Ed Bolley spent Tuesday in Plainview looking after their farm interests.

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Margarine Sunny Bank	1-Lb. Pkg.	35c
Margarine Blue Bonnet Colored	1-Lb. Pkg.	45c
Cherub Milk	3 Tall Cans	43c
Milk Evaporated	3 Tall Cans	45c
Marshmallows Fluffiest	1-Lb. Pkg.	27c
Chewing Gum 5¢ Values	3 For	13c
Cigarettes Popular Brands	Ctn.	\$1.73

Grapes Thompson's Seedless	2 Lbs.	25c
TOMATOES, California , lb.		17c
Cabbage Green Solid Heads	Lb.	3c
Apples Jonathan	Lb.	12c
Bell Peppers , lb.	12c	Lettuce California Iceberg
Elberta Peaches 2 Lbs.	25c	Cauliflower Snow White
Oranges California Sunburst	5 Lbs.	Green Beans Kentucky Wonder
Red Potatoes	5 Lbs.	Carrots Clip Tops
Texas Yams	Lb.	Pascal Celery

PROPERLY TRIMMED MEATS

Excess bone and fat removed before weighing—so you save money

Picnics Smoked 4- to 8-Lb. Average	Lb.	59c
Roast Veal or Light Beef Shoulder, Gov't Graded	Lb.	59c
Rosefish Boneless Fillets	Lb.	31c
Ocean Whiting	Lb.	19c
Halibut Steaks	Lb.	43c
Codfish Fillets	Lb.	37c
Haddock Fillets	Lb.	39c
Slab Bacon 16- to 20-Lb. Average	Lb.	

BITS OF NEWS:

W. A. Albritton attended a meeting of Retail Merchants Association leaders in Abilene Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brown of Hamlin and Guy Brown and Guy Brown Jr., of San Angelo, spent Monday and Tuesday at Possum Kingdom fishing.

Mrs Marshall Richardson returned to Hamlin this week after a month's visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Brandon White and children in Stephenville.

Mrs Loren Griffin and two children of Wichita Falls are guests of Mrs. Griffin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Teague in Hamlin.

Betty Sue Lane of Solado spent the week here as a guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Altum and baby, of Abilene, spent the weekend in Hamlin with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Altum and Mrs. Joe Dutton.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner Beard, former residents of Hamlin, are here this week because of the death of Mr. Beard's uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. Arice Jones of Greenville have announced the birth of a daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Jones are former residents of Hamlin. Arice is the son of Mrs. Maurice Jones of the Neinda community.

FOR SALE!!

I HAVE two or three good quarter sections of farm land near Hamlin. Can give terms if needed.

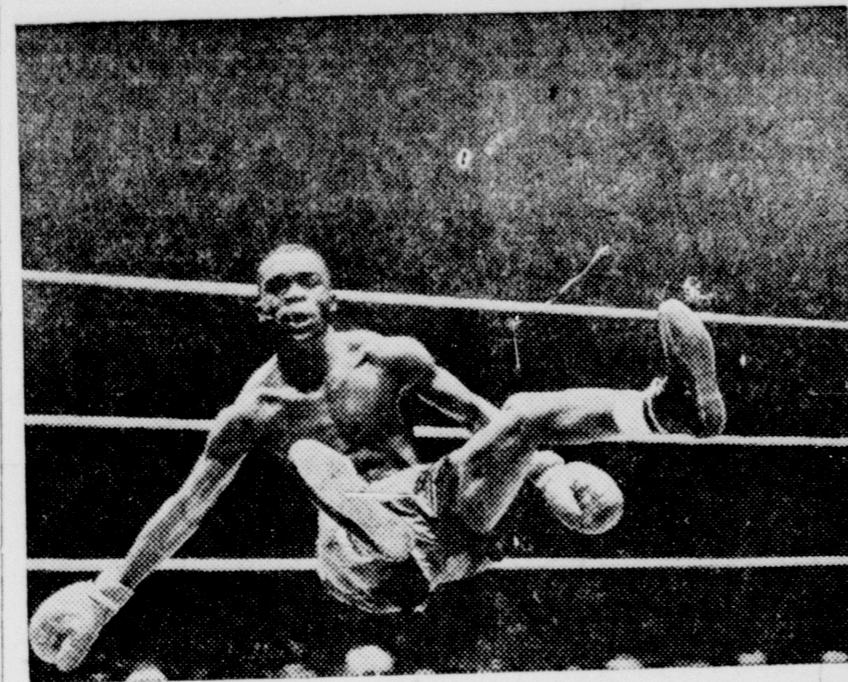
CHOIE 5-ROOM house; in lovely location; beautiful shrubbery. Don't fail to see this one.

FIVE-ROOM house near the High School. Price \$3,500. \$1,200 cash will handle this sale.

NICE - FIVE ROOM house, modern, price \$3,700. Located between the schools. Would consider trading for cheaper property.

215 ACRES, 19 in cultivation, \$12,000 worth of improvements. Located 2½ miles from town. Would consider good home in Hamlin as part payment. One of the best farms in County. Be glad to show you this farm.

D. M. White,
Real Estate



One ten-thousandth of a second—faster than the flick of a fly's wing—was the exposure time for this Speed Graphic shot made by Chester Gabrysiak, Chicago Tribune photographer, while covering Golden Gloves bouts at Chicago Stadium. Stroboscopic lights permitted very fast exposure. Gabrysiak, one of the country's top sports photographers, started as a copy boy in 1926.

SCHOOL LEADERS CONCERNED OVER NEEDS OF TEXAS SCHOOLS

Jones County school supervisors, trustees and teachers are concerned over the increased enrollments expected for the terms soon to open, because housing and teacher demands will tax the county's facilities. Likewise, the problem is a statewide one that has elicited the attention of the Texas State Teachers Association.

Some of the problems and suggested solutions as submitted by the state association are presented in the article below.

Texas must adequately prepare for 150,000 more children in its schools in the next decade or lower its educational standards.

Charles H. Tennyson, director of public relations for the Texas State Teachers Association, sounded that this week.

The huge increase in the birth rate during the last few years will add to the enrollment in Texas schools by nearly 82,000 pupils four years from now and by 152,000 in 1957, Tennyson said.

"It stands to reason we will have to have that many more classrooms.

"Leaders in school districts and state government should take careful note. The situation calls for planning along practical lines in order that adequate provisions be made for education of these children."

"Texas is no exception. From figures on the annual birth rate provided by the United States Bureau of Vital Statistics, we know that births increased 1,549,601 throughout the United States from 2,360,399 in 1940 to 3,910,000 in 1947.

"Enrollment started increasing throughout the country last year. In Texas it was up more than 7,000 pupils. The State Department of Education this week estimated an additional 8,000 students would enroll this fall.

"That is just the beginning. Enrollment will snowball from then on.

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FOR SALE—Four-room house and lot.—Onis Crawford. 44-tfc

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• Lost and Found

STRAY HELPER—Three miles east at Garrett's place. One year old, black heifer.—Owner call for and identify animal and pay for this ad and for keep of animal. 1c

FOUND—Small white pig on Main Street, August 31.—Billy Bowman. 1p

TRY THE HERALD want ads; for they sell your old, useable things

• Business Services

FOR SALE—Batteries, 45 plate, 24 months guarantee, \$14 exchange.—McCoy Brothers. 44-4c

• Cards of Thanks**CARD OF THANKS**

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TRUE STORIES of WEST TEXAS

(By N. H. Kincaid, 2618 History St., Abilene, Texas—Copyrighted)

J. WRIGHT MOAR,
BUFFALO HUNTER

As the young woodcutter pocketed his pay and turned to leave the quartermaster's building at Fort Hays, Kansas, his eye chanced on the form of a personal letter and being read by another man, but the contents were interesting indeed—especially since the woodcutter was now out of a job.

"Pardon me, Sir," he said to the stranger "but this man Lobenstein," and he pointed to the signature of the letter in the stranger's hand, "is he really paying people to kill buffaloes?"

Charlie Rath turned angrily toward the intruder, but seeing the anxious eagerness in the youngster's eyes, stifled his retort.

"Yes," he found himself explaining, "Lobenstein is hiring Charles Myers and me to furnish him these buffalo hides. An English firm wants 500 for experimental purposes. If you are interested go see him. He is located in Fort Leavenworth and is a reputable fur-dealer."

So he met two men who were destined to help write the pages of Plains history from Dodge City, Kansas to the Concho Country of West Texas.

J. Wright Moar was hired by Lobenstein to fill a prorata part of the 500 quota, and in doing so, had 57 hides left over. These were sent by Moar to his brother John in New York with the requests that he try to sell them, perhaps to some tanner or leather-making firm.

Big incidents swing on little things. The bales of hides were seen by a Pennsylvanian tanner who bought them and for \$3.50 a hide, tested them, and then ordered 2,000 more at the same price.

And this is where the history part comes in. For it was this order that launched the Big Buffalo Kill of the seventies. This was in 1872, and John hurried to join his brother who was already hunting and selling a few buffalo hides and meat to Charlie Rath, who had set up his own store in Dodge City.

The Moar brothers formed a hunters company, hiring their men and furnishing equipment. In 1873 they, with other hunters, swung down into the Texas Panhandle, entering in the present Hansford County. They were followed within a few months by two different merchandising firms—that of A. C. Myers and of Charlie Roth. These men, together with James Hannahan, saloon keeper and Tom O'Keefe, blacksmith, located at what became known as Adobe Walls.

But that is another story. Suffice it to say that the industry reached immense proportions within the next five years. It swept down the High Plains, with Fort Griffin becoming the central merchandising point in 1876, assisted by Hide Town (Snyder) and Rath City or Reynolds the two following years.

And always the Moar brothers' firm was on the field. When the buffalo had been exterminated and the industry closed in 1879, J. Wright Moar had already started into the ranching business. He located north of present Snyder, and the Plains of West Texas became his home thereafter.

V. F. W. POST

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Nights at
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ATTENTION
PARENTS!!

Are your children's shoes ready for school?—if not bring them in and we'll get them ready. Remember—"Shoe Repair Means Extra Wear".

Have your summer shoes dyed for Fall.

We have the following:

Belts, Billfolds, Tooloed

Handbags, Boots, Buckle Sets,

Cushion Insoles, Polishes, Shoe

Laces and Riding Equipment

Special orders taken for most

anything made of leather.

BOOTS and HANDBAGS
sold on lay-away plan.

Can Black-Draught Help Physical Fatigue?

Yes, Black-Draught may help physical fatigue if the only reason you have that listless feeling is because of constipation. Black-Draught, the friendly laxative, is usually prompt and thorough when taken as directed. It costs only a penny or less a dose. That's why it has been a best-seller for four generations. If you are troubled with such symptoms as loss of appetite, headache, upset stomach, flatulence, physical fatigue, sleeplessness, mental haziness, bad breath—and if these symptoms are due only to constipation—then see what Black-Draught may do for you. Get a package today.

**STUBB'S
SHOE SHOP**

MOURNING DOVE - WHITE-WINGED DOVE OPEN SEASONS 1948

MOURNING DOVES

OPEN SEASON — NORTH ZONE:
Sept. 1 to Oct. 15, both days inclusive. Shooting hours, one-half hour before sunrise to sunset.

SOUTH ZONE: Oct. 20 to Dec. 3, both days inclusive, except in Cameron, Hidalgo, Starr, Zapata, Webb, Maverick, Dimmit, LaSalle, Jim Hogg, Brooks, Kenedy, and Willacy counties where mourning doves may be hunted only on Sept. 17, 18, and 21, from 4 p.m. to sunset, and from Oct. 20 to Nov. 30, from one-half hour before sunrise to sunset.

BAG LIMIT: Not more than 10 per day and not more than 10 in possession.

A hunter may not have more than 10 a day of either or both species (Whitewing or mourning doves) in the aggregate.

White-winged Doves

OPEN SEASON: Sept. 17, 18, and 21, inclusive.

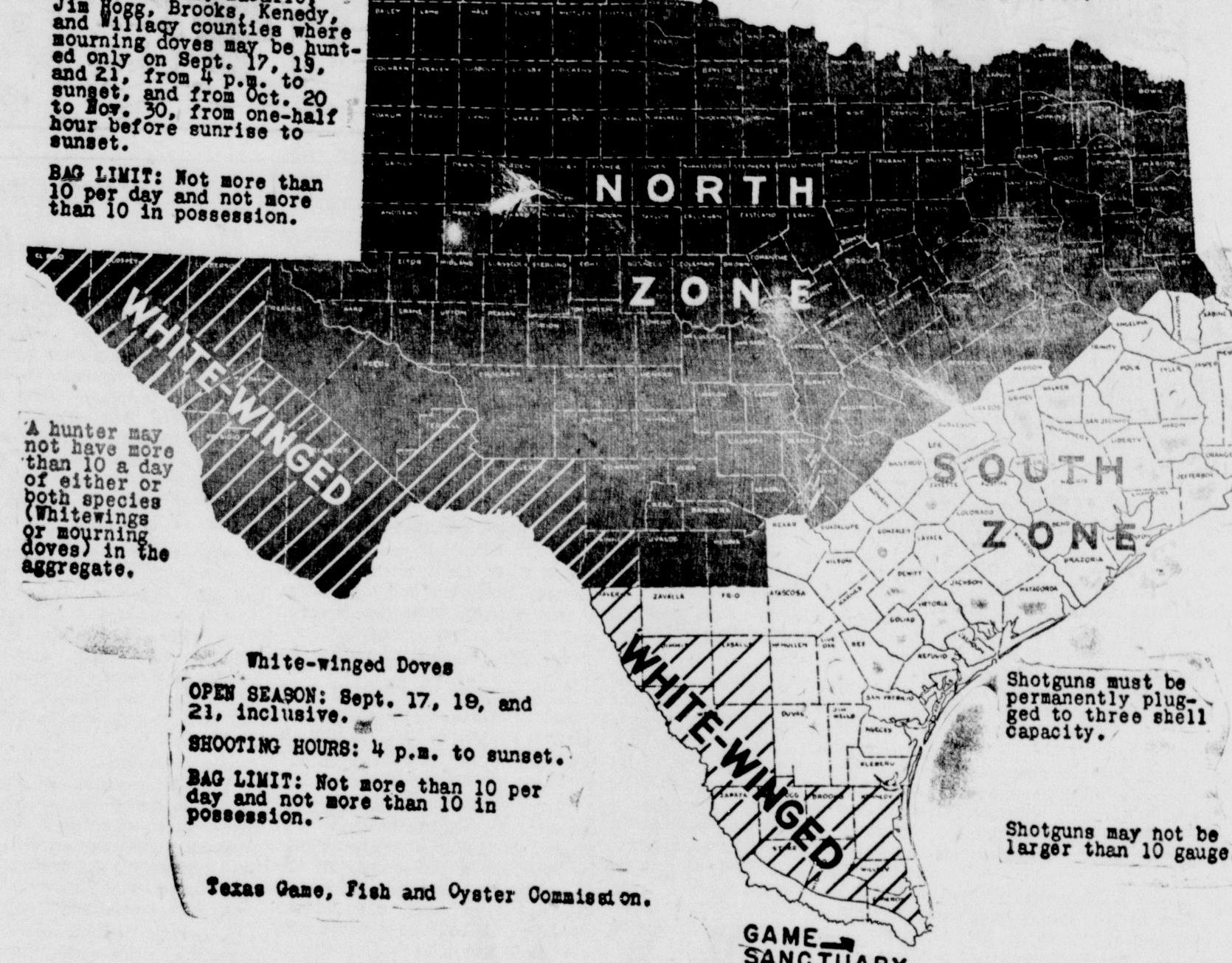
SHOOTING HOURS: 4 p.m. to sunset.

BAG LIMIT: Not more than 10 per day and not more than 10 in possession.

Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission.

Unlawful to take whitewings or Chachalaca South of U. S. Highway 83, formerly State Highway 4, in southern tip of Texas marked on the map as "Game Sanctuary".

No hunting permitted in game refuges and game preserves.



Farm Facts

Q.—What causes stiffness in pigs that aren't sick?
A.—Such stiffness is usually due to a nutritional deficiency, chiefly calcium, and occurs among swine that are fed almost entirely on grain. Grains are low in calcium even though they contain plenty of phosphorus. Feeding a supplement to give hogs a balanced diet will usually overcome this trouble, and a good supplement can also save grain for the hog raiser.

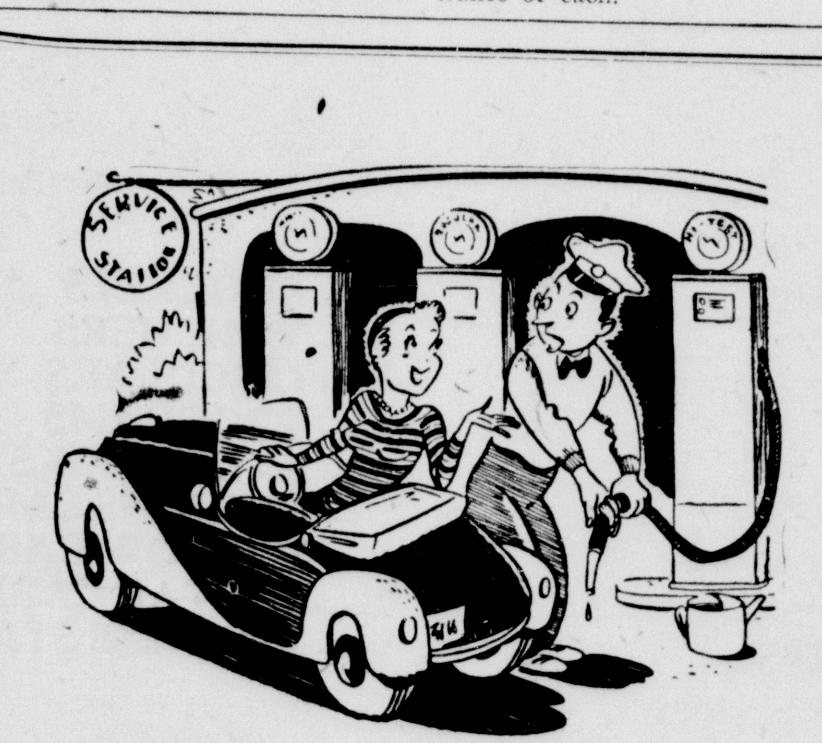
Q.—How many eggs in 100 pounds of feed?
A.—The national average is only about 155 eggs from 100 pounds of feed. But with today's good breeding and balanced rations, a complete laying mash should average at least 185 eggs per bag of feed and may go up to 230 eggs or more. A famous feed concern is now conducting

an unusual contest for poultrymen on this point, featuring seven rules of good management which can increase "eggs per bag." A booklet outlining the seven rules and a contest entry blank may be obtained without charge from any Purina dealer.

Q.—Should block salt be kept before cows?

A.—Yes, as the amount of salt dairy cows need is almost entirely an individual proposition, varying with the size of the cows, the type of ration and the amount of milk produced. In addition, some cows seem to have a special appetite for extra salt. Milking rations should contain one per cent salt, but block salt should also be available for the cows to eat according to their individual desires.

For treating ant colonies and spraying in the home, try using two or three per cent chlordane. When colonies are found, pour a small amount of the liquid in the entrance of each.



I Think It's Silly to Spend Money on the More Expensive Gas While I'm Just Learning---

We rarely disagree with a customer—even the young ones—but experience has taught us—the best gasoline is the cheapest in the long (or short) run! Drive in and let us "fill'er up." You'll get service with a smile

IRWIN SERVICE STATION

HUMBLE Dealer

Mrs. Effie McCoy of Los Angeles a former resident of Hamlin, is spending this week here as a guest of her sons and other relatives.

Eugene Reagan of Hillsboro visited Miss Hortense Phenix and her parents Mr. and Mrs. Carl Phenix, last weekend.

Miss Hortense Phenix will leave Saturday to take her position as teacher in the music department in the Alamo Elementary School in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Briscoe spent Sunday in San Angelo as guests of relatives.



Cooperate in building a newsier publication for your town...and for your community. You can help build increased interest in your own sales messages by turning in local news to your newspaper.

Because of help shortage The Herald must stick to the following deadlines on news.

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Your cooperation with us will help to assure an interesting, on-time paper—thanks!

LABOR DAY, 1948



America, a land wrought from a wilderness and fashioned into a broad expanse of farms, ranches and glowing cities, is a product of the labor of mankind—free labor.

Our material wealth, our physical greatness, and our spiritual leadership of the world all are the results of labor.

It is fitting that we pause in our tasks one day each year to pay tribute to those who labor—for that includes us all . . . the farer, the carpenter, the factory worker, the merchant, the lawyer, the banker. . . . It is through the combined efforts of all our people that America has become the "land of the free". And it shall be through our combined efforts that this, the last home of freedom shall remain strong and free and great.

THIS BANK WILL BE CLOSED ALL DAY MONDAY, SEPT. 6

FARMERS & MERCHANTS NAT'L BANK

"SOLID AS A ROCK"

Member of F. D. I. C.

Hamlin, Texas

POT-SHOTS FROM McCAULLEY

GEORGE DARDEN

More excitement in these parts. Oil was struck in the Nickless well last Saturday and is believed to be paying quantities. Pay was found at around 3,200 feet. Quite a bit of gas too. The well is an offset to the Davidson well a mile and a half west of the town site.

About 150 voters voted in the McCaulley box Saturday. Lyndon Johnson led Coke Stevenson about 15 to one, Collins led Dabney by a wide margin and in the Fisher County judges race Branscum was leading Wilson by a good margin even though Wilson led in the primary at this box.

G. M. Milsap of Post sent \$5 for the McCaulley Cemetery Fund. Next Monday night in the gymnasium the Stamps-Ozark Quartet will appear sponsored by the cemetery committee.

Four bales of cotton were ginned last week in McCaulley and picking is expected to get started in a big way within the next 10 days.

A light shower fell in McCaulley last Saturday morning and as much as one quarter of an inch was reported three miles northwest of town.

Melvin Hunter has sold many truck loads of watermelons the past month and the melons have been extra good this year on the Hunter farm.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Kemp will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on September 7. All their friends from far and near are invited to an open house reception at their farm home. On Saturday night a basket lunch will be spread near the Kemp home and there will be a general celebration and a big time for all.

Mrs. Pauline Beavers and daughter are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Maberry. Their home is Marshall, Oklahoma.

Mrs. L. B. Miers and daughters from Muleshoe visited relatives in Hamlin and McCaulley last week.

Mrs. N. D. Miers of the Hobbs community and S. E. Miers of McCaulley visited relatives in Fort Worth and Dallas last week.

Alf Hemphill, the McCaulley laundry man, made a trip to Sweetwater last Saturday.

Attending the Methodist meeting from Hamlin last Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Earl Madden and Mrs. W. H. Pickron.

Young men of draft age may reg-

ister in McCaulley at the post office. R. B. Hennington, postmaster, has been appointed registrar and will take care of our home boys who would have had to travel miles to the county seat had not four places in the county been designated where the young men could register.

Mr. and Mrs. Orian Jarnagan from Lubbock visited Mrs. Jarnagan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fancher, last week.

James Fancher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fancher by this community has joined the Army. James served in the U. S. Navy for 12 years and after two years as a civilian James decided it's the Army from now on.

Thanks to W. L. Jackson, 1733 N. 5th Street, Abilene for a renewal to The Herald.

It appears that at least 90 percent of 1948 cotton will go into the government Pan. In fact the loan price, especially for short staples, is far better than the buyers price.

U. S. Branscum defeated M. T. Wilson for judge of Fisher County in Saturday's run off. The vote was Branscum 1,083 and Wilson 1,049. Branscum is a well known farmer stockman and formerly he taught school in this county.

Dixie Maberry is home after spending the summer in Arizona and attending a school for nursing in that state.

Via the grapevine, we learn that a well will soon spud in on the townsite of McCaulley.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi McCollum, Mary Ann McCollum, Patsy Maberry, Bonnie Beth Jones and Margaret Darden attended the commencement exercises at Abilene Christian College last Friday night.

New stair steps have been erected at the McCaulley A. F. & A. M. hall. Adrian Smith of Sylvester was the contractor.

W. R. Moffett has sold his lock-plant in Sylvester to a Roby man and C. C. Farmer of Sylvester sold his residence in Sylvester last week and will move to Roby where he will erect a residence. Guy Mauldin of Sylvester recently sold his garage and filling station to Tom Garland.

The reporter of this column strives to please everybody including the editor, and if your name fails to appear in print its because you haven't let us know about your visitors.

REGULAR FELLERS**Suppose The Elephant Was Going Elsewhere?**

By Gene Byrnes

**BILLIONS FOR EDUCATION****Chinese Student Enters Texas Tech After Expensive Ride from China**

A billion dollar boat ride and a train ride from the West coast has brought to Texas Technological College, Lubbock another foreign student for graduate study, Yang Chien Sheng.

Understanding the high hopes of China in the field of agriculture, the alert, boyish looking Chinese student has come to the United States and Texas to look further into agricultural economics. His present plans will take him through perhaps two to three years of school work toward a master's degree.

After executing the proper forms for admission to a school in the

United States, Yang was faced with the necessity of leaving behind a bride of less than a year, and a position in the State department with the ministry of finance where he used his training in agricultural economics.

"It is expansive and flat, these plains of yours, and affords quite a good education in agricultural economics, I understand," Yang commented after a brief inspection of the school prior to settling down to final registration and pursuit of his chosen field.

On board with Yang were 180 Chinese students all bound for the United States and school, representing 180 billion dollars Chinese currency. The money market in China today is such an erratic gauge Yang is not certain exactly the amount of American money his passage to the United States is worth in Chinese money, but he feels safe in estimating he invested for over a billion Chinese dollars in travel expenses alone to arrive at college in Texas.

American customs, language and way of life are not completely alien to the newly arrived student for he was educated in an Anglo-Chinese high school and is a graduate also of Fukien Christian University, where he took a BA degree in agricultural economics.

"Getting used to the Texas accent will be his hardest problem, Joe Ma,

Dan D. Jones Accepts Life Insurance Agency

Dan D. Jones, who for the past two years has been employed by the Bryant-Link Department Store, resigned this week to accept the agency for the Franklin Life Insurance Company.

Jones will have the city of Hamlin and adjacent area for his territory. He formerly was pastor of the Hamlin Nazarene Church for six years.

HAS OPERATION

Mrs. E. W. Gardner underwent a surgical operation for appendicitis, at the Hamlin Memorial Hospital last Friday. Her condition is reported to be much improved.

friend of Yang and an engineering student at Texas Tech, laughingly predicts Joe and Mrs. Ma have been at Texas Tech for a year.

Yang's choice of Texas Tech for research and graduate study was finally made after a detailed report on educational possibilities in the United States forwarded him by Ma.

The two young men attended the same high school, and Joe is Yang's only close friend in the United States.

They were separated in China by following different fields in education and by their service.

Yang was a second lieutenant in the infantry. He was discharged

in 1942, and then started on a four

years uninterrupted university

course.

DON'T SHOOT MISTER . . .**Hunters Are Asked to Abstain From Shooting Telephone Wires and Poles**

Hunters not only shot birds last year, but also managed to knock down 2,600 telephone wires in the Southwestern Bell territory, R. B. Peterson, manager for the company said this week. "With the 1948 season opened, the company urged hunters to use care in shooting at or near its pole lines," he said.

"What we probably need," Peterson said, "is telephone lines that can duck bird-shot. But what we have is pole lines and wires that can dodge. The problem is pretty serious. Last year, about one-fourth of all cases of trouble on our open wire long distance telephone lines was traced to gun-shot damage."

Even good shots miss occasionally, Peterson said, and a shot at a bird on a telephone line, or flying in front of it, may cut a wire and interrupt telephone service. Until the company can get men out to repair the damage, important messages may be delayed.

In asking that hunters think twice and pass up "fat" shots around telephone lines, Peterson

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Hamlin's alleys and vacant lots received two spray treatments of DDT Friday and Monday, when a fog machine was rented from the City of Sweetwater and brought here, according to Holly Toler, mayor.

The machine was rented by action of the City Council after the Chamber of Commerce had suggested its use in an effort to prevent an outbreak of polio here.

Cost of spraying, Toler said, was about \$150, and the council is considering renting the machine for a second treatment of the streets and alleys within the next few weeks.

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Effect of the spraying will not be fully apparent for several days, officials said.

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Ample Supply of Cotton Pickers Seen In Migration From Rio Grande Valley

Based on supply of cotton harvest hands now working in the Upper Rio Grande Valley, H. B. Randolph, manager of the Texas Employment Commission office at Abilene, said he believes the supply of hands for the coming harvest will not be as limited as had been previously expected.

Randolph said that reports reaching him from the Valley indicate that the need for cotton pickers has been met without undue difficulty so far this season. The cotton harvest is virtually completed in areas around Harlingen and is rapidly approaching completion at Corpus Christi. Activity is well underway in the vicinity of Houston and Austin, with demand for labor so far being met.

Randolph's most recent information from these areas shows the following prices being paid on an average: Victoria, \$2.35 per hundred for picked cotton delivered at the gin; Part Lavaca, the same price; Taylor, Williamson County, \$2.00 per hundred for picking; El Campo, Wharton County, \$2.50 per hundred for picked cotton delivered to the gin, the same price being quoted at Wharton and Palacios, Matagorda County.

In explaining the plans being used by the Texas Employment Commission for the routing of needed workers into areas for the cotton harvest, Randolph said, "All during this year, the commission offices throughout the Valley have organized crews of farm workers who were used in various seasonal work, such as vegetable harvest, packing shed labor, choppers, hoe hands, and cotton pickers. These crews are planning to mi-

grate northward as the harvest progresses and will travel through areas of need as determined by the Employment Commission and to those areas where they have previously worked in the cotton harvest and have agreements with individual farmers to return.

"Throughout the rest of the state, the offices of the Commission have lined up crews of workers who will, and are migrating to areas of need as directed by the Commission. During the last 30 days, there has been a movement of cotton pickers from North and West Texas to parts of the Upper Valley. These workers will return to their home areas as needed."

To facilitate the proper direction of migratory labor to areas of need, Randolph said that labor control stations were, or will be, set up at Abilene, Fort Worth and San Antonio. These control stations obtain information from local Employment Commission offices over the state regarding labor needs and supply of hands who will move, and direct such workers to Commission offices where need for extra laborers exists.

Randolph urged that farmers place orders with his office for workers at least a week before the workers are actually needed. He also requested that farmers give consideration to rotating the crews from one farm to the other after they are established in the community, to assist his office in keeping the workers in the area as long as they can profitably be used.

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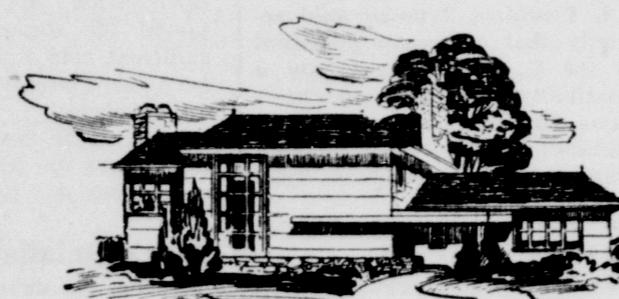
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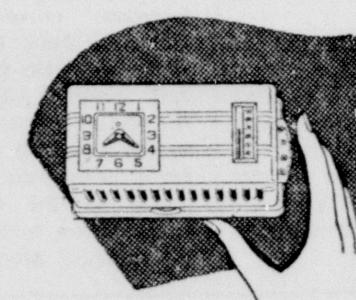
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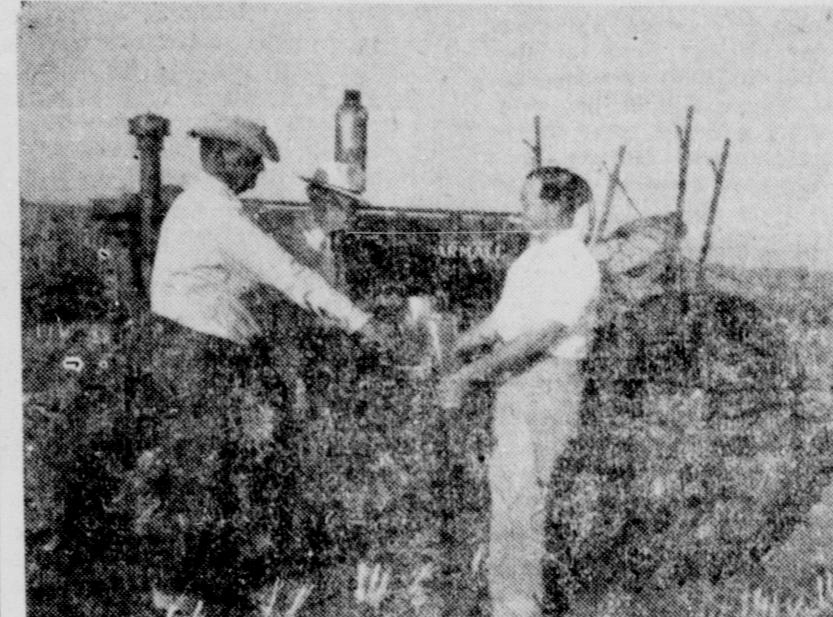
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Maddox Owns Oldest Farmall



Above, left to right, Billie Maddox, RFD 4, Hamlin, and A. J. French of Tuxedo. Maddox is the present owner of the oldest Farmall tractor in this area. The machine was first purchased by French from Penick-Hughes Co., Stamford, in February, 1924, and has been used in production of 25 West Texas crops since that date. The present owner, the seventh, bought the tractor from the Buie Implement Co., Stamford. A. J. Buie, manager of Buie company, is shown presenting cups to Maddox and French.

60,000 4-H Clubbers, FFA and FHO Members to Attend Fair October 16

Featuring the achievement of 4-H Club, Future Farmers of America and Future Homemakers of Texas, the Texas State Fair will be host to 60,000 members of the groups on Saturday, October 16, it was announced this week.

That day has been dedicated to the young men and women of the farms of Texas, and will be set aside to feature their activities and for the awarding of medals.

Headed by James Aston, vice president of the Republic National Bank of Dallas, the rural youths commit-

Texas Farm Income Is Increased During July

Texas farm cash income reached \$164,918,000 in July, raising 25 per cent above June, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported.

In comparison with July 1947, farm income dropped 26 per cent despite larger income from cotton, wool, hogs and fruit and vegetables.

tee has started preparations to make October 16 the greatest rural youth day in the history of the exposition. Last year 25,000 4-H Club boys and girls, 14,000 Future Farmers and 10,000 Future Homemakers were in Dallas for the special day.

"We are going to increase that attendance by 50 per cent this year," Aston said. "We've set a goal of 32,000 4-H Club members, 14,000 Future Farmers and 14,000 Future Homemakers. Every extension agent, vocational agriculture teacher, and homemaking teacher in the state will be urged to give full support in making the day a success."

Attendance prizes, based on mileage traveled to reach the fair, will be awarded to clubs and Dallas business organizations will be host to the boys and girls at a noon luncheon. A feature of the day will be the state 4-H Club dress revue when 100 girls will compete for prizes. D. A. Hulcey, president of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce, will present 50 of the outstanding boys and girls with State Fair of Texas honor award medals.

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

U. S. Registers Cold War Victory; Moscow Talks Headed for Failure; Truman, Congress in Budget Fight

By Bill Schoentgen, WNU Staff Writer

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysis and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

COLD WAR

Villian Revealed

At last something had happened that could and did make people understand what this Russian situation was all about.

It had been pretty difficult going for the world public to perceive the basic truth when it was obscured by confusing circumstances like currency reform in Berlin, control of the German Ruhr, a maze of spies at home and political annihilation of small European nations by Russia.

What it all amounted to, as far as most people were concerned, was a mess of verbal pottage that they wouldn't trade for the comic page any day of the week.

Then it happened. Mrs. Oksana Kosenkina, the Russian school teacher, jumped from a third-story window in the Soviet consulate in New York to achieve the liberty she so desperately sought.

Mikhail Samarin, the other Russian school teacher, was wanted by the Russians but managed to retain his freedom. Refusing the Soviet demand that he return to Russia, he tossed this scallion for the Communists into the propaganda war: "I won't return to death."

And finally, in Olympic games from Czechoslovakia and other Soviet satellite states were steadfastly refusing to return to their home countries after their taste of a free land.

It all added up to the biggest break the western nations have had yet in their propaganda battle with the East.

This was simple, basic, understandable: These people from the land of the Soviets—the schoolteachers and athletes—utterly despised the idea of returning. They simply would not do it.

Thus, it was in the end a few ordinary persons who destroyed the elaborate fabrication which Moscow had constructed to represent to the world the ideal way of life that existed in the Soviet Union.

One Voice of America spokesman said: "This is what we have been waiting for in our war of words. This is something that can be easily understood by people all over the world."

The Communists tried frantically to cover this breach in their curtain by calling it, among other things, an underground conspiracy in the U. S. to wreck any possibility for peace between the two nations.

But the villain's disguise was off now and everyone knew him. Try as they might, the Communists never would be able to explain why two obscure school teachers would seek their freedom so desperately, nor why Russia was so determined to get them back.

PARLEY: Failure

From Moscow came crushing news for all those hoping for peace: The talks between the western democracies and Russia were reported to be on the brink of failure.

Barring a last-minute miracle in the conferences between the U. S., England, France and Russia, the East-West stalemate would continue, along with the Soviet blockade of Berlin.

It was reported that the western powers were getting ready to stay in Berlin under conditions of economic siege, planning to maintain and enlarge the air lift to supply the 2.5 million persons in their sectors.

There was, however, one slim chance that utter failure could be avoided. The three western ambassadors were scheduled for a final talk with Premier Stalin, and it was a possibility that the negotiations might be rescued. But the odds against agreement stood at about five to one, officials said.

If the conference ended in the anticipated failure, it was thought that the Big Four governments would try to conceal the extent of the fiasco from the public in order to avoid the even greater degeneration of East-West relationships that undoubtedly would result if everyone knew just how hopeless the case was.

However, if the Moscow talks did break up in futility it would not mean necessarily that all similar negotiations would be abandoned. It would mean that any further effort to reopen them would be delayed until at least next spring—possibly March—after the election and inauguration.

WHAT'LL YA HAVE, GENTS?

How About 55 Gallons of Black Coffee?

Coffee and milk, by a wide margin, remain the favorite beverages of American drinkers who will down nearly eight billion gallons of coffee and nearly seven billion gallons of milk in 1948.

The report on the national liquid intake, compiled by the family economics bureau of Northwestern National Life Insurance company, also estimates that about 2.7 bil-

BUDGET: Unbalanced

Will there be a surplus or deficit in the government's budget at the end of this fiscal year?

It was a question good for a lot of politics, haymaking, and both President Truman and his Republican opponents in congress went to work with a will.

Mr. Truman's forecast was that the government would be 1.5 billion dollars in the red next June. In his mid-year budget report he blamed the Republicans' "ill-timed" five-billion-dollar tax cut for putting the nation back in the hole.

Stricken with horror, GOP lawmakers rapped back sharply: Far from harboring a deficit, they said, the treasury will close its books next June with a surplus of between five and six billion dollars.

The President had jugged figures for political campaign effect, the Republicans charged bitterly.

"Another of the weird distortions which are coming from the White House while its occupant is a nervous candidate for re-election," commented Sen. Styles Bridges (Rep., N. H.) mordaciously.

Mr. Truman had said that federal expenditures this year would hit \$42 billion, while Republicans claim that actual expenses will total \$38 billion. They charged, too, that the President had figured the national income \$3.4 billion dollars too low for the year.

Just who was right in the matter, if anyone, was impossible to say. The entire affair had many of the characteristics of the kind of tempest in a teapot that is a run-of-the-mill event in an election year.

Actually, even if President Truman's estimate turns out to be the correct one, the books still will show an "adjusted surplus," despite the 1.5-billion-dollar operating deficit.

That is because congress provided that three billion of the surplus last year should be shifted to this year's accounts to help meet foreign aid costs.

PSYCHIATRY: War Cure

How can the world prevent wars? Use of psychiatry would be a big help, according to Dr. John Milne Murray, professor of clinical psychiatry at Boston University.

A psychiatrist, he said, is one who seeks the reason for the failure of human relations in the individual rather than in the mass.

"But," he asked, "what is war except a mass breakdown of inadequate relations ending up in a tremendous burst of self-destruction?"

Take, for instance, the reactions of a child trying to adjust itself to a harsh environment. Under stress the child may revert to archaic forms of behavior, and that is very similar to the impulse of destruction which, on a world-wide scale, becomes war.

Shots were heard in the building the night he died, and four coffins were carried from the place that morning before the Czech commission arrived to inspect Masaryk's body, indicating that four persons might have been killed during the night.

Paper Work**New Farm Program**

IN SO FAR as the so-called long-range farm program adopted by the 80th congress is concerned, farmers, ranchers and truckers can forget it until about January 1, 1950, or thereafter. For the 1948-1949 crop will not be affected by the new act. These crops still will be largely marketed under the present support price system with a few changes.

The important change is that imports received by cooperating producers of the mandatory Steagall commodities, including Irish potatoes harvested before January 1, 1949, milk and its products, hogs, chickens and eggs marketed before

Despite widespread support for ratification of the international wheat agreement, the special session denied positive action, preferring leaders said, to wait until the new 81st congress convenes next January. The agreement would have assured U. S. wheat growers a 185 million bushel export market for five years at guaranteed graduated scale of prices.

Joining farm organizations in pressing for approval were Sen. Arthur Vandenberg and Sen. Alben W. Barkley.

January 1, 1950, are to be supported at 90 per cent of parity. In other words, on these commodities the parity price cannot go over 90 per cent as under the old law.

On other mandatory Steagall commodities, including flaxseed, soybeans, dry edible beans, dry field peas, American-Egyptian cotton, potatoes of the 1949 crop, sweet potatoes and turkeys marketed before January 1, 1949, prices are to be supported at not less than 60 per cent of the parity price or more than the 1948 support level. So on these commodities the parity price as compared to the old law can drop from not less than 90 per cent to not less than 60 per cent.

On basic commodities the parity price is the same as the present law except that parity for cotton is dropped from 92½ to 90 per cent. On wool the price is to be at the 1946 support level, about 42 cents a pound until June 30, 1950. Support price for non-cooperators on basic commodities is to be 54 per cent of parity and only as much of the commodity as would be subject to penalty if marketed, as under the existing law.

With the remaining men closing it, Klinger's version went, Masaryk was forced closer and closer to the window. Then, the men either threw him out the window or, overwhelmed by fear, Masaryk flung himself out.

In proof of his conviction, Klinger offered this evidence:

Masaryk would never have committed suicide because he was afraid of physical pain. Also, he left no note or letter—a usual practice in suicides.

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Costly Support

While the solons talked long and loud about doing something about the waste in potatoes, they did nothing to take the secretary of agriculture off the spot.

The law still requires him to support the price of Irish potatoes and buy them when they reach the support price. This policy, adopted by congress, is costing the government about four million dollars per month.

It was pointed out in debate that the early and intermediate potato crops could not be shipped abroad as food under the European recovery program because of the perishable factor. The late potato crop, much of it from northern states, can be shipped but even if sufficient refrigerated ships could be obtained for shipment there is insufficient cold storage in Europe to keep them once they arrive there.

Consequently the government sells them to distillers, to millers, to farmers for feed, to all sorts of institutions and takes a heavy loss.

Debate on Inflation

During the debate on inflation in the special session, some senators sat open-mouthed, others looked warily at one another as they heard this exchange between Sen. Joseph C. O'Mahoney (Dem., Wyo.) and Sen. Robert A. Taft (Rep., Ohio):

1. Several witnesses before the house un-American activities committee, refusing to answer questions about Communist activities, invoked the fifth amendment to the Constitution. What does that amendment say?

2. President Truman said recently that a woman president of the U. S. "was not only a possibility, but a probability" some day. At present the Constitution prohibits a woman from becoming president. True or false?

3. Population of the U. S. is 143,414,000. Name the nations that have larger populations in order of their size.

4. What outstanding war events took place three years ago on these dates: August 8, August 9, August 14?

5. Born in 1865, he was governor of Kansas from 1915 to 1919 and became a senator in 1919. Recently he retired from the senate as its senior member in point of service. Who is he?

ANSWERS

1. "No person . . . shall be compelled in any criminal case to be a witness against himself."

2. False. Only presidential qualifications required are that he be born in the U. S. be a resident of the country for 14 years and at least 35 years old.

3. China (470 million), Union of India (389 million), U. S. S. R. (193 million).

4. August 8 Nagasaki was atom bombed; August 9, Russia declared war on Japan; August 14 Japan surrendered.

5. Sen. Arthur Capper (Rep., Kas.)

BOXCARs: No Worries

Despite all-time record production and the bumper crops forecast for this year, U. S. railroads do not expect as tight a boxcar situation this autumn as has prevailed during the past several years.

Southwestern grain, bulking larger than any other section, has begun to taper off, more cars are available in the Northwest this year than last and terminals still have space for storage.

Out of the Park

In some dimly seen future time baseball record books might fall into dust, but there will be those who still talk of Babe Ruth. And among kids the legend of the Babe might grow into this: Every baseball he ever hit he hit for a home run. And some might smile at the exaggeration but say nothing because it will be a magnificent story.

Dewey Request Denied

Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York, Republican presidential nominee, apparently asked one favor of the special session and it was denied. Dewey reputedly asked Sen. Chapman Revercomb (Rep., W. Va.), chairman of the senate judiciary committee, to revise the displaced persons bill by cutting back the eligibility entry date into German DP camps from December 27, 1945, to April 21, 1947. Mr. Truman also asked for the revision.

Technicians selecting male buffalo grass to secure pollen for breeding to improve strains at the buffalo grass nursery at Woodward, Okla.

Washington Digest**Nation's Grasslands Stand For Security in Agriculture**

By BAUKHAGE

News Analyst and Commentator.

WASHINGTON.—"The grasslands, hay lands and forested range lands of the entire United States cover more than a billion acres, nearly 60 per cent of the total land area. They furnish about half of the feed for all the livestock."

That statement is quoted from the new AGRICULTURE YEAR BOOK titled "Grass," last copies of which now are being delivered to congressmen for their constituents.

Purpose of this book is to contribute to the lore and practice of the American farmer so he may help to attain "permanency in agriculture."

This permanency is obtainable, says P. V. Cardon, in the opening chapter of this splendid 900-page book, by means of "—an agriculture that is stable and secure for farm and farmers, consistent in prices and earnings; an agriculture that can satisfy indefinitely all our needs of food, fibre and shelter in keeping with the living standards we set. Everybody has a stake in a permanent agriculture."

Grassland is, according to the many experts who have contributed to this volume, the foundation of security in agriculture.

Grasslands, by the sheer force of their need, have increased from an original 700 million acres to the present billion. Believers in grass expect that acreage to be increased, and I have no doubt that this book will help.

Grass means to these students of the Gramineae family, wheat, corn, rice, sugar-cane, sorghum, millet, barley, oats, many of the sod crops which provide forage or pasture and the associated legumes, clover, lespedeza, alfalfa and others.

The trend toward grassland agriculture in America is interrupted for some 10 years but was interrupted for intensive cultivation during the war. Now it is increasing again, according to Cardon who has been engaged in agricultural research since 1910. But he points out that grassland's agriculture supplements rather than replaces other farm production — for example, livestock production, with which it is inseparably linked.

"Grassland agriculture," he says, "under good management may equal or increase the production of digestible nutrients, reduce materially the labor needed to grow them and lower the cost of supplying protein necessary to nourish animals."

There are many interesting and widely varying chapters, progressing from the general to the more specific. The editor, Alfred Steffens, has summarized the book as separated into four parts. The first is an examination of grass as it applies to people anywhere with the emphasis on livestock and soil and conservation. Forage for livestock, the use and value of pastures, grass and rotations, the range, as a major resource and

its descent into a valley where, he says, was created "the strange spectacle of June in January," peculiar to his native state.

"A sudden descent into the sheltered valley," he writes, "revealed an unexpected crescent of dazzling verdure, glittering like a meadow in early spring, unreal as an incantation, surprising as the sea to the soldiers of Zenophon as they stood upon the shore and shouted 'Thalatta!' It was Blue Grass, unknown in Eden, the final triumph of nature, reserved to compensate her favorite offspring for the loss of the old upon the banks of the Tigris and Euphrates."

Is Truman Another

Boy on Burning Deck?

It may be just as well that Washington has not only its proverbially unbearable weather, but that it has a political campaign as well to take its mind off more serious troubles.

It started out as a rather dull campaign with the Republicans positive of victory and the Democrats showing an overweening willingness to get used to the idea of looking for another job.

But ever since Harry Truman's peppy speech at the Democratic convention, you frequently run into a Democrat who actually thinks his party has a chance in November.

One loyal adherent to the party of Jackson and Jefferson approached me with a theory that Truman had a very good chance of winning on the psychological basis.

"You know," he said to me, "deep down in the subconscious of every American is a boy-on-the-burning deck complex."

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Zeke Clay Says:

The FICTION Corner

ANYTHING FOR A FRIEND

By MARJORIE ABBOTT

SAM looked uncomfortable as he stood with his large feet planted awkwardly on Harriet Sweet's oriental rug. His violin was tucked under one arm, and with his free hand he pushed a thick lock of hair away from his dark, ugly face.

"All right, Sam, let's try it again," said Harriet. She sat straight-backed on the piano bench and played the introduction to "Traumerei" on the mahogany grand. Her gray head kept time to the music with lively little nods.

"Yes, ma'am," said Sam. His voice was changing. Every move he made was done in an agony of self-consciousness. He brought his violin up to his chin, and then forgot himself as he brought the rich tones to life beneath his fingers.

Harriet sighed as the last note became stilled. "That was splendid, Sam," she said. "I haven't another pupil as talented as you are."

A light showed briefly in his dark eyes, and then he blushed and moistened his lips.

Harriet wondered sometimes why she wanted so much to win this boy's friendship. He was unattractive. He had a last name she couldn't begin to pronounce. It was partly the longing of a lonely, childless woman, she supposed, for someone to mother.

The music should have formed a bond between them. But up to now she felt she was losing the battle to pierce his shyness and win Sam's friendship. For six months he had come to her for his weekly lesson, but although she had tried in every way she knew to get next to the boy, she had failed.

"I have no friends," he had told her once bluntly, when she had questioned him, and she had an aching picture of him, working hard after school to earn money to help out at home with his brothers and sisters, squeezing out the extra dollar for a music lesson, practicing late at night. She would have loved to help him in some way, but he was proud and independent.

Sam cleared his throat and wiped his arm across his sweating forehead.

"Mrs. Sweet, I'm going to stop taking lessons," he said.

"Oh, Sam," said Harriet, "Why?"

"My kid brother busted my violin. This one is borrowed from my old man's sister just for tonight. I'm going to earn another fiddle. It will take a while. They have them at Brothers' music store for 15 bucks. As soon as I get it I'll be back."

It was the longest speech he had ever made.

Harriet reached over the bronze bust of Beethoven on top of the piano and took her own violin lovingly from its alligator case.

"There's no need of missing those lessons, Sam," she said. "You may use my violin as long as you need one." She tried not to think about the kid brother who busted violins. This one had cost her a thousand dollars.

Sam's face was shining. "Gee, Mrs. Sweet. Gosh! I'll make it right with you," he added hastily.

"I know you'll take good care of it."

"Oh, yes, ma'am."

She followed up her advantage.

"I wish you'd always try to think of me as your friend, Sam. I like you very much."

He looked down at the floor and shifted from one foot to the other.

HARRIET thought of Sam often in the following week. She thought of his large, strong hands that would bring heartbreakingly

sweet melodies out of her violin. She wondered if the boy would like the incredibly rich, full tone of the instrument.

She didn't see him again till the following week. As he came in he was filled with a strange restlessness that he couldn't control.

"Last week you said that you were my friend."

"Why yes, Sam."

"There's something important I've got to ask you."

This was the moment she had been hoping for, in all her months of knowing Sam.

"I'll do anything I can for you, Sam," she said quietly.

He stood there facing her, almost defiant in his earnestness. For the

he saw the look of surprise on her face. His voice cracked as he went on.

"Gosh, I know it probably cost you some dough. I'd even pay 75 bucks for it."

She was staring at him incredulously. There was no sound in the room but the slow ticking of the grandfather clock.

He flushed and looked down at the floor. His fingers were restless on his plaid cap. In a sudden agony of embarrassment, he thrust his hands behind his back.

"You think it's an O. K. fiddle too," he said. "I suppose I shouldn't be asking you for it. Even if you are my friend."

She hesitated only a moment be-



She had an aching picture of him, working hard after school to earn money to help out at home with his brothers and sisters.

moment his shyness and awkwardness were gone.

"I played your violin all week," he said feverishly. "It was smooth as—oil or something. Gee, it was swell!" His eyes were blazing, and his dark face was no longer ugly.

"Look, Mrs. Sweet, I can get 50 bucks from my uncle. I'd work to pay it back to him."

Tricks for Teens

By Nancy Pepper

PETTICOAT PROTEST



There we go again—the girls introducing a new fashion and the boys giving it the well-known Bronx cheer. We're referring to the new P.H.D. society (Petticoats Hanging Down) — and to the caustic comments that are being made by your best friends and severest critics.

Petticoats have made the front pages of your high school papers, just as your long Gibson skirts did last season. But not even the ridicule of your favorite three-letter man can shake your belief in them.

CAN-CAN COMMOTION—Instead of lifting your cotton skirt demurely at one side with a pin or petticoat peeper, you sew a little buttonhole loop to the center back, at the edge of the hem, and sew on a button at the center back of the waistband. Then you can button up your skirt in back to form a can-can bustle and to reveal your con-

vertible petticoats—Some petticoats are made to serve a double purpose. For instance, a pastel cotton petticoat with double hemline ruffles of eyelet, comes with its detachable cummerbund belt. Without the cummerbund, you wear it as a petticoat under another skirt. With the cummerbund, you top it with a peasant blouse and wear it as a skirt. It's a good idea for those of you who are making their own petticoat, and, judging from the reports of home ec teachers, lots of you are. Now, that you've revived petticoats and camisoles, will you be saying "twenty three skidoo" instead of "scram" and "I love my wife, but, oh, you kid!" instead of "hubba, hubba?"

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YOUR NEW DANCE—It's that oldie, the Charleston—ever since you saw it danced in "Good News." Bet your parents could give you some fine points on it. Bet they could show you the cups they won in Charleston contests back in the days when Joan Crawford scintillated more than she suffered.

YOUR NEW CUSTOM—Since you've seen "Captain from Castile," you've revived the custom of giving a handkerchief to your T-man (top man) as a keepsake. He keeps it in his jacket pocket for show—not for blow.

NEW HAIR-DO—The short cut with bangs, as Eleanor Parker wore in "Voice of the Turtle" is sweeping through the high school halls these days. But do any of your upper classmen try to look like Ronald Reagan?

Star Dust

STAGE SCREEN RADIO

Released by WNU Features

By INEZ GERHARD

PAUL HENREID, producer and star of Eagle-Lion's "Hollow Triumph," says that most actors make poor producers because they can't detach themselves from their own roles enough to get an overall picture of the entire script. He tried to avoid that by thinking of his role as played by someone else. He had turned down several others for it, because he yearned to play a villain,

PAUL HENREID

the kind of role in which he made his reputation in Europe. But in this country he has been cast, with one exception, as a suave, sophisticated gentleman. "I don't mind," he remarked, "but it gets cloying after a while."

Geraldine Brooks, who was elevated from feature player to star-dom opposite Dana Clark in Warner's "Embraceable You," found the role pretty soft—as the victim of a traffic accident she played half her scenes in bed. But Barbara Stanwyck, in Paramount's "Sorry, Wrong Number," played all her scenes in bed, and said it was the hardest acting job she ever had done!

ROSEMARY DeCamp, of the air's "Dr. Christian" and the screen's "Look for the Silver Lining," keeps her three daughters quiet at the table by serving meals on a glass table, through which, fascinated, the children can watch their feet.

After desiring to be in a Leo McCarey picture for years, Ann Sheridan realized her wish in "Good Sam." It's being booked for Radio City Music Hall, also a break as it is the first time one of her pictures has been shown there.

After Claire Trevor's knees were badly hurt in an auto accident Lewis Foster stayed up all night, writing a fall downstairs into the script of "The Lucky Stiff," thus giving Brian Donlevy lines kidding her about her limp.

Backstage at "We, the People" after the show most of the guests, who never had faced a mike before, were confident and relaxed. But one man sat in a corner, mastering his script. "Hope he doesn't fluff any of his lines," said one of the guests. "He won't," replied emcee Dwight Weist. "That man is Thomas Mitchell, the famous actor."

WALTER BRENNAN plays two roles in "Blood on the Moon," but you won't recognize him in one of them. Made up as an old squaw, he squats in front of an Indian wigwam while the stars ride through the scene. It was his only chance to appear in a scene with his daughter, Ruth, who plays an Indian girl in the picture.

JANET WALDO, the lead in NBC's "Corliss Archer," lived in her Hollywood apartment for a few months with only a television set and an ironing board in her living room. Finally Dinah Shore and George Montgomery delivered her new furniture, the only set of its kind, specially made from plans she designed with them at their little furniture factory.

JERRY COLOMNA has presented "Atomic" to orphans at the Avondale Children's home in Ohio. "Atomic" is the offspring of the donkey Jerry received from Ralph Edwards on a "Truth or Consequences" program.

JAN MURRAY of "It's Always Alright" went to vaudeville shows with his mother when he was young. When she was too ill to go, he'd rush home and do the show over for her. That's how he discovered that he had dramatic talent.

ODDS AND ENDS—The demand for tickets to Horace Heidt's talent hunt program is so terrific that it looks as if the three-quarter finals would be moved from NBC to Hollywood Bowl. . . . Wanda Hendrix, 19, says she will retire when comparatively young; doesn't want to hang on until she has to play character roles. . . . Bette Davis says she will start outlining her autobiography while taking a four-month vacation on her New Hampshire farm this fall and winter; she has planned to write it for a long time. . . . Sponsor of "Stop the Music" will take on "The Original Amateur Hour" this fall.

Kathleen Norris Says:

Broken Homes Break Children

Bell Syndicate—WNU Features



PAUL HENREID

His head hung, he looked fixedly at a pulley he had in his hand. "That all?" he asked thickly.

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

WHAT are "broken homes" for boys? Miss Norris discovered that most of the young fellows were not orphans but unwanted children from broken homes.

In many cases the parents felt that they couldn't manage all their children satisfactorily so they sent one or two of their boys to a home where they would be less bother. Other boys were the sons of divorced parents who did not want the custody of them.

Miss Norris strongly warns that the danger of communism is insignificant compared to the national outrage of casting little tots among strangers where they never will receive the love and affection they need so much.

"Oh," she said, looking cautiously about and lowering her tone, although we were alone, "they're living. Well, no," she corrected it, "some of them have only one parent. But most of them come from broken homes."

"Broken homes? Divorces?"

"Well, both," she said cheerfully. "Mothers working, very often. The domestic situation is hard now and many people don't actually feel equal to the claims of children. So they send us a boy or two."

"You mean—" It made me sick to think of it. "You mean they may have other children?"

"Often. David," she called to a small boy who went past us as we wandered into the grounds. "Your mother has another child, hasn't she?"

Child Is Ashamed

"Yep," he answered, not meeting her look. The whole story was there—the shame and bewilderment in a nine-year-old's heart when he was sent away. Oh, of course, sent way to sufficient means, a good bed, honest, kindly care, safety. But they kept little Sharon and they sent him away. His head hung, he looked fixedly at a pulley he had in his hand. "That's all?" he asked thickly.

There's another home for boys near our city. I went there, heart-sick, yet determined to know what percentage of these little fellows had parents, too. And again it was the same story.

Divorce, high living expenses, working mothers, desertion—the most important element in any commonwealth, the absolutely indispensable element, the home, broken up.

The much-feared, much-discussed danger of communism is nothing to this. This is a national outrage. That these little fellows, who ought to have love from someone, who ought to have a corner in some comfortable place, a few books, dinner table talk, Mom or Dad to run to in trouble, are herded away like cattle is so terrible an indication of national irresponsibility that the atom bomb is a harmless tail candle beside it.

What are these mothers and fathers putting in the boys' places? What domestic luxuries, movies, comfortable quiet evenings and dancing compensate for this injustice to their sons and this loss to them? Are we American women so unimaginative and so flaccid that we cannot adjust our lives to make room for our boys? Seven hundred boys from "broken homes."

We don't have to beg, we can dictate, even if it means that shops are open only between 11 and 4 every day or that one mother in a group takes care of all small children two days a week and works four. For the boys' sake and for America's sake, let's solve this problem some other way.

Spare the Rod

CHICAGO.—Any parent who spans his child has a spanking coming himself, in the opinion of Dr. Rudolf Dreikurs, a Chicago psychiatrist.

Childhood whippings, the doctor explained, are undesirable because they leave a lifetime mark upon the victim's character.

If a "servile, timorous" adult is at the same time "caring and crafty," the chances are that he received a paddling now and then as a child himself, the doctor said.

JUST HEAR ME

Bonus Payment

Emerging from his private office, a stern employer found a young man talking to his receptionist. Furious, he directed his office manager to pay the boy a week's wages and get rid of him immediately.

This done, the employer turned to the office manager and demanded:

"Who in the world hired that boy in the first place?"

"Nobody, sir," said the manager. "He never worked for us."

It Makes Sense

Jane—Why did you buy that hat?

Jean—Because I couldn't get it for nothing!

Stuffing Goes Fast

Tourist—Are you better off now than you were this time last year?

Hill-billy—Well, I don't know. There are fewer installments to pay on the overstuffed chair but there isn't much left of the chair.

Foot of the Class

Teacher—What do they raise most in China?

Student—Chinese!

A Big Surprise

"Yes, my dear," said a much occupied wife to a friend, "for boys I wondered where my husband was spending his evenings, until one night I arrived home early—and there he was!"

It Takes Time

Father—When I was a little boy your age I didn't tell fibs.

BREAD CAST UPON THE WATERS...

**Hamlinites Open Hearts and Purse
To Distressed People; Fund Urged**

By Mrs. M. C. Wilson

Hamlin residents have opened their hearts and their purses to many people within the past few weeks . . . people who were distressed and in dire need, and as a result several persons have gone from our little city with the reassurance that the milk of human kindness still flows within the breasts of West Texans.

Two of the outstanding cases which have come to the attention of the Chamber of Commerce during the past few weeks are related below, and in each instance it was only a small task to raise sufficient funds to take care of necessities and start the families on their way.

A family was enroute from Muleshoe to Taylor and their route led them through Hamlin. There was a father, a mother, and six children ages two to 14 years.

The baby was ill. The family had run out of money. They had eaten all of their meager supply of food and their car was out of gasoline and oil.

The father, a worried man with deeply-lined face, and shoulders stooped from the load he had carried, appealed to the Red Cross at the Chamber of Commerce.

With in an hour the Home Service Chairman had rounded up local citizens, including the City Marshal, who chipped in to relieve the distress of the travelers. The baby was taken to a doctor's office for treatment, their food supply was replenished and their car filled with gasoline and oil.

The family was on its way to Taylor to pull bolts.

A second family of six had gone from their home in Baton Rouge, Louisiana to a small town in Utah where a married son was gravely ill.

The youth died shortly after his parents and brothers had arrived.

**West Texas Fair
Slated to Open
September 27**

D. H. Jeffries, president of the West Texas Fair Association, said this week that it is planned to present one of the largest community exhibits in the history of the exposition, when it opens in Abilene the week of September 27.

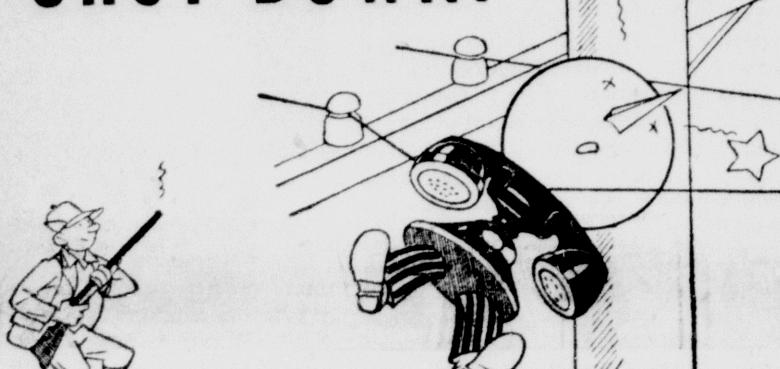
Most of the communities in the West Texas area will be represented, and it is estimated that attendance at the 1948 fair will reach 100,000 or more.

Any West Texas community or civic organization is eligible to enter an exhibit of the products produced or made in the vicinity. Exhibits will be judged on quality, attractiveness, originality and neatness.

In addition to honor prizes, premiums in cash will range from \$10 to \$100, Jeffries said.

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A group of photographic experts rated this shot of a "laughing" horse one of the most humorous pictures of the year during the recent Graflex Photo Contest. The photographer, Alfred Regan, 17-year-old high school student, has been taking pictures only two years.

**Cotton Use Declined
In Texas During July**

Cotton consumption in Texas fell 12 per cent in July to 11,936 running bales. The University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports.

Compared to July 1947, cotton consumption slid eight per cent.

Consumption of cotton linters, totaling 2,236 running bales in July, climbed 48 per cent above June levels, but fell four per cent from a year earlier.

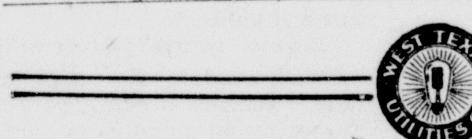
Cotton spinning activity stepped up fractionally above June to advance four per cent above July 1947. Total spindle hours dropped 26 per cent from June, and 13 per cent in the year's time.

District 2 (North Texas) collections were 22 per cent above June, 1947. Collections of employment taxes more than doubled this year, up 20 per cent; and withholding taxes, one per cent.

**Katy Earnings Reach
New High for Year**

Earnings of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas railroad for the current year to July 31, soared nearly seven million dollars over the same period in 1947.

Gross income of the road for the seven months of 1947 were \$38,399,000 as compared with \$45,172,000 for the same period of 1946. Net income after all taxes and operating expenses had been paid, was reported as \$1,434,000 for 1947 and \$2,960,000 for 1946.



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Yes, Reddy, thanks to the West Texas Utilities Company's policy of anticipating future needs, most of the material you need to keep the construction program rolling is on hand or scheduled for delivery as needed. In fact, much of the material to be used in this construction program was ordered nearly two years ago! However, due to the continuing critical shortages of heavy electrical equipment and wire, deliveries are just now being made on materials ordered as early as September, 1946.

Eighteen million dollars! Each of those dollars, Reddy, is a vote of confidence in the growth and development of West Texas.

**West Texas Utilities
Company**



Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hartgraves and son are guests of relatives in Alto this week. They left for Alto last Saturday.

Everett Townley and Ben Townley spent Monday in Dallas on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Steed and Miss Morjorie Steed visited Mr. and Mrs. Ovid Lawlis and sons, Jimmie and David, in Rochester Sunday. Mr. Lawlis is manager of a gin at Rochester.

The following Hamlin people received treatment in the Callan Hospital in Raton last week: Raymond Renfro, Gerald Dan Renfro, Louise Snapp and Randy Brown.

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Mrs. Minnie McNeely. 42-tfc

FOR RENT—Desirable bedroom, private entrance, adjoining bath.—Phone 354-W.

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FOR SALE—Feed; milo sacked in 100 lb bags. \$2.15 per cwt. McBride & Johnson. 41-4p

FOR SALE—House 12 x 24, lot 75 x 140. Price \$750.—R. I. Smith, Gen. Del. Hamlin. 43-2p

FOR SALE—or trade, worth the money, 1934 Chevrolet truck, grain-bx and cotton frame. Truck in good condition, tires fair to good.—If interested see J. J. Crawford at Katy depot. 44-2p

HAVE SEVERAL good machines for sale, two new Singers, electric, not rebuilt or altered in any way.—G. C. Sayer, N. E. 4th St., Anson 1p

EVERY STUDENT NEEDS a Felco zipper case. We have just received a new shipment of brown cases, with ring binders, to fit your note book work; price only \$4.—The Hamlin Herald. tfc

CLEAN APPLES and pears for fresh eating, canning preserves and sauce. Cut that grocery bill with this cheap fresh fruit. Delicious Jonathans, etc. Visit us.—Shanks Apple Orchards, ½ mile north of Clyde, Largest in Texas. 42-4p

FOR RENT—Four-room house with bath, city water and lights.—C. E. Watson. 41-3p

DOUBLE YOUR PROFITS with O. I. C. fastest-growing hogs. Whitest, cleanest, heaviest, Pruebred pigs, \$20 breed gilts, \$75. young boars, \$50.—Shanks Hog Farm, Clyde. 42-4p

Miscellaneous

AUTO LOANS—On your car or to buy a new car.—Hamlin Motor Company.

50-tfc

WANT To Buy clean rags no buttons and No Khanki 12c per pound.—Hamlin Motor Co. 32-tfc

CARD OF THANKS—We take this method of thanking our friends and neighbors for the help, kind deeds and sympathy shown us in the death of our beloved son, James C. Tate.

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LOST—Billfold in or around Ferguson Theater. Finder keep money and return billfold to B. O. Bell, Box 415, Hamlin. 44-tfc

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HOUSE FOR SALE—One block south of grammar school—See Esther Hastings. 43-2p

FOR SALE—Five room house and 50 x 140; two porches on Main street close to town in Hamlin.—See Oran B. Teague, five miles south Stamford at New Hope. 43-2p

FOR SALE—Lot on Central Avenue, block 200.—O. S. Hunter. 44-2p

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I carry balm to the sick, hope to the hopeless, cheer to the cheerless, rest to the weary and courage to the faltering.

I welcome the dawn of each New Year; I herald the anniversary of the birth of the Prince of Peace; I mark the recurrence of the glad morning of Resurrection; I bring joy to the hearts of millions of Mothers who have journeyed down into the valley of the shadow that others might live.

I mark happy milestones on the journey of life; I unite humanity in the bonds of friendship; I make new friends and keep old friends from forgetting.

I go where no other messenger can enter, reaching the very hearts of those to whom I am sent: creating good-will and friendliness, scattering sunshine, bringing warmth, comfort, peace.

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Secret Pal Gifts Are Exchanged at Meeting

Exchange of "secret pal" gifts featured a meeting of the Ladies Home Missionary society of the Foursquare Church Monday afternoon.

The session was held in the home of Mrs. Hattie Harwicks, Mrs. Dorothy Jones, president, conducted the opening program and gave the prayer. Mrs. Susie Tabb gave the devotional.

Quilt blocks were pieced for the parsonage, and names were drawn for exchange of "secret pal" gifts on the next revealing day, September 27.

Refreshments were served to: Mrs. Francis Scott, Mrs. Susie Tabb, Mrs. Lina Scott, Mrs. Florence Teague, Mrs. Zada Garrett, Mrs. Jessie Kelly, Mrs. Dorothy Joens, Mrs. Leona Hudson and Mrs. H. L. Hewitt of Stamford.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Jessie Kelly, September 6.

Harbert Family Meets For Annual Reunion

A reunion of the family of Mrs. Lola Harbert was held last week in the McKinsey Park in Lubbock.

Present for the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Otis Harbert of Knox City and their daughter, Peggy Ann of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harbert and baby, of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Carter and children, Joe Wayne and Meta June of Hamlin; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Richardson of Sundown; Mr. and Mrs. John Jenkins and sons, Jimmy and Carroll of Sundown and Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hart and sons, Guy and Tommy of Lubbock.

George Malouf spent Sunday and Monday in Lubbock as a guest of relatives.

TRY THE Herald want ads; for they sell your old, useable things

Better Facilities for Photo Offered by Nell

Offering better facilities for the making of photographs, Miss Nell Steele, owner of Nell's Studio, announced that her studio has been completely remodeled.

Located one and one-half blocks west of the Farmers & Merchants National Bank, the studio was opened by Miss Steele last April.

Patrons of the studio now will find, instead of the one large room, a comfortable reception room, a well equipped "shooting" room, and two dark rooms and a room for developing have been added.

Miss Steele, a member of the WAVES during World War II, came to Hamlin from Abilene.

Vaccinate Your Child, Health Officer Urges

Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer, urges the parents of all children who will respond to the school bell for the first time in September to be sure the child is physically ready for school duties.

"First and foremost is the need for vaccination against smallpox. Parents and physicians should see that children are vaccinated before they are one year of age; however if not done previously, at school age vaccination becomes absolutely necessary," Dr. Cox said. "If your child has not been vaccinated, have it done immediately so that the scar

Immunization against diphtheria is also highly desirable, Dr. Cox believes. This disease, which causes serious illness and death among young children can be prevented with toxoid. The child who has never been protected should be given this safeguard against a dreaded disease.

Even though he may have been immunized as a baby, doctors and health officers usually recommend an additional dose of toxoid to strengthen immunity before entrance into school.

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OFFICE SUPPLIES at The Herald.

Mrs. Ferguson Feted At Party Thursday

Mrs. S. C. Ferguson Jr., was the honored guest at a coke party given Thursday, August 27, in the home of Mrs. John D. Ferguson, with Mrs. Thomas Ferguson as co-hostess.

Guests were greeted at the door by Mrs. Thomas Ferguson, who introduced the honoree.

Refreshments were served, buffet style, and consisted of party sandwiches, avocado salad, fritoles, stuffed olives, cokes and candy.

The honoree was presented with a loose leaf receipt book, with her name printed on it in gold lettering.

Present were: Mrs. Jessie Burditt, Mrs. Fred B. Moore Jr., Mrs. Henry Albritton, Mrs. John F. Green Jr., Mrs. Holly Toler, Mrs. W. T. Johnson, Mrs. Clyde Angel, Mrs. Lester Morton and Mrs. J. B. Ferrell Jr.

Mrs. Ernest Jenkins, Mrs. Jerry Waggoner, Mrs. Tedding Russell, Miss Suzane Toler, Mrs. S. C. Ferguson Sr., Mrs. John Kent Jones, Mrs. Clifford Reynolds Jr., Mrs. Kenneth Parker, Miss Marjorie Steed, Mrs. Alfred Hardin and Mrs. Stanle Carmichael.

Mrs. Art Carmichael, Mrs. Jim Howard King, Mrs. John Walton, and the hostesses, Mrs. John D. Ferguson, and Mrs. Thomas Ferguson and the honoree, Mrs. S. C. Ferguson Jr.

Drake Family Reunion Was Held in Eastland

More than 70 members of the Drake family, from all parts of Texas, gathered in Eastland park last Sunday for the annual family reunion.

The Drake family came to Eastland County from Georgia 75 years ago.

Attending the reunion from Hamlin were Connie, Della and Maud Drake.

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ANSWER: I would not advise using black asphaltum for this purpose. Your wallpaper may be pulpy and absorbent, and probably the plaster also absorbs and holds much of the dampness from the air. Before repapering, and after removing the present paper, try the effect of painting the walls with good aluminum paint. Let this dry, apply a glue size, and then hang a washable type of wallpaper or an oilcloth type of wall covering. If there is excessive moisture in the air of your house, try to locate the cause.

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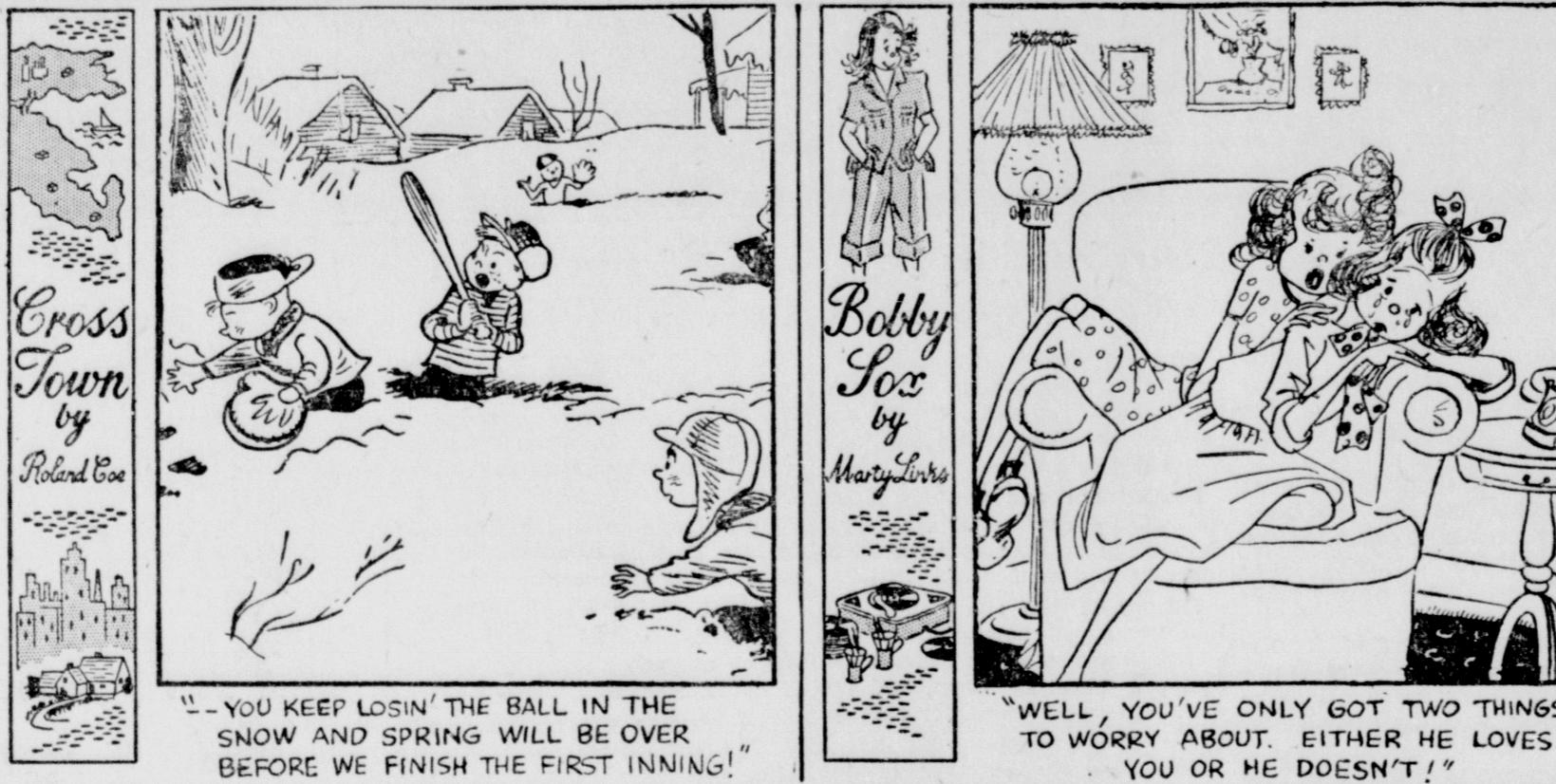
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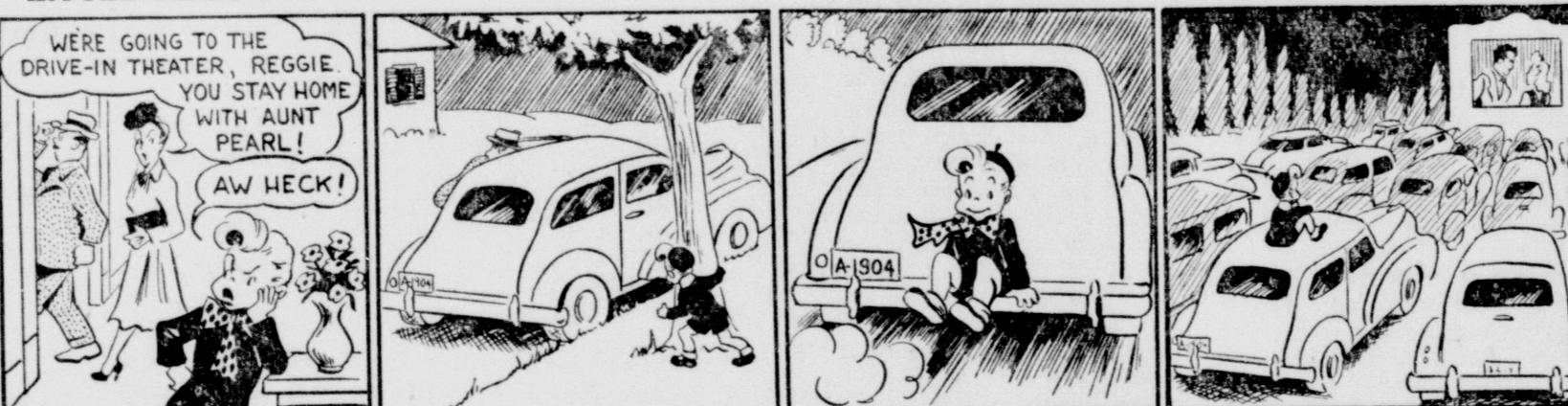
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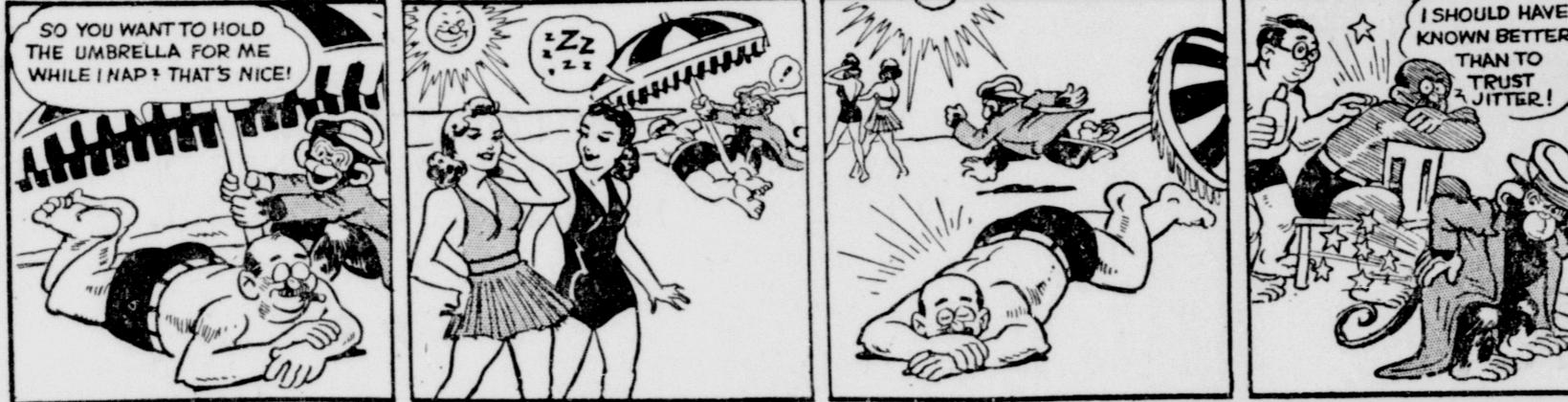
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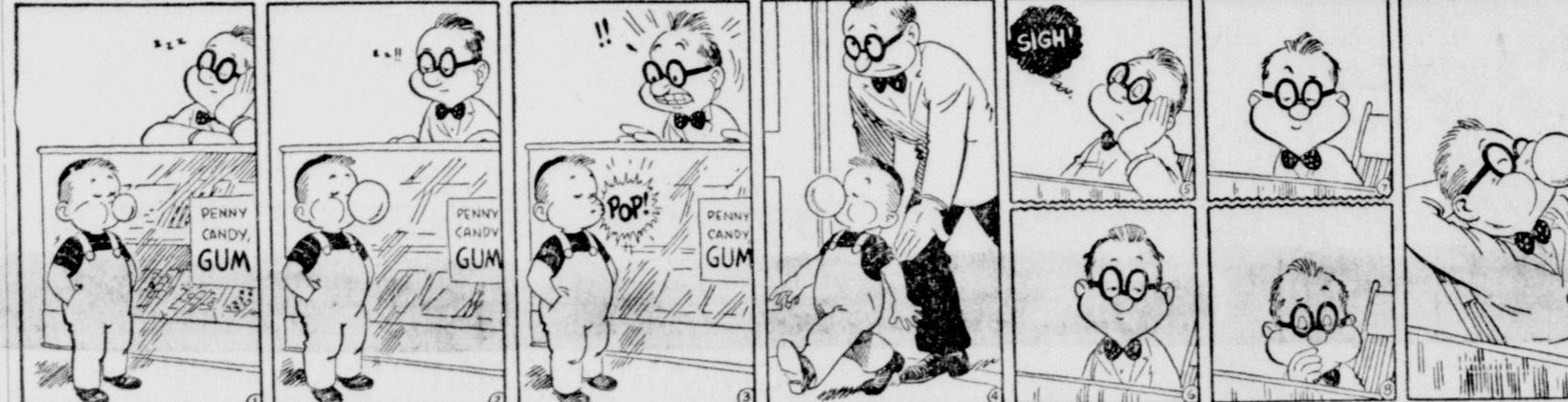
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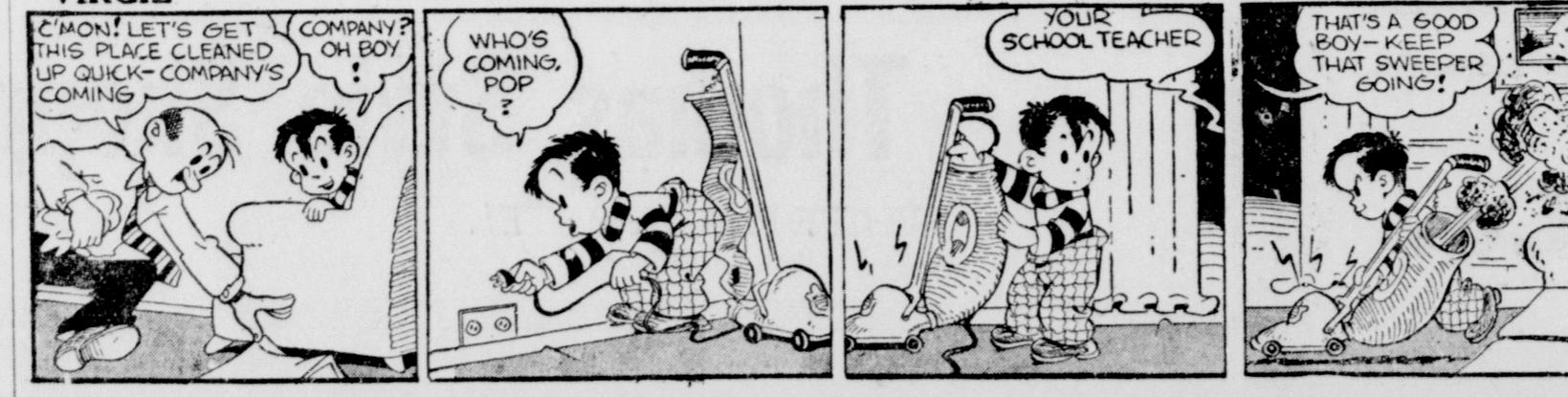
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PRESIDENT TRUMAN has the unique distinction of having approved several bills which he had signed as presiding officer of the senate. He vetoed a private bill as President of the United States which he had signed as president of the senate when he was vice president.

PRESIDENT MARTIN VAN BUREN entered the White House with four motherless sons.

ONE OF OUR PRESIDENTS, George Washington, was a farmer. Twenty-two were lawyers, two were army officers, two were in politics, one was a teacher, one a publisher, one was a mining engineer and one a merchant.

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by Carl Starr

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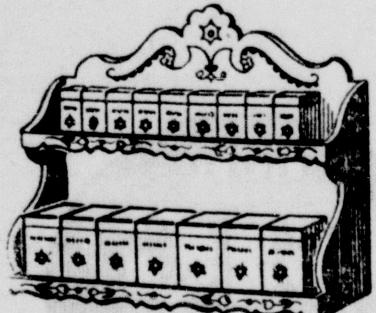
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DEVOTIONAL READING: I Corinthians 12:4-11.

Home Team

Lesson for September 5, 1948

HUSBAND AND WIFE: Team or tug-of-war? In times when more and more homes are splitting apart, it is refreshing to read the story of one home that stuck together. We do not know whether these two ever had children; no doubt their home was happier if they had. But we do know their names. No one who ever spoke of them mentioned one without the other. You could not think of Aquila without thinking of his wife Priscilla (or Prisca for short), or vice versa. They were displaced persons, but that did not keep them down.

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Family Trade Union

LIKE ALL JEWS of that time, they had a specialty, a trade they had learned. In this case someone had taught Prisca the same trade (or did she learn it from her husband?), so the two of them formed a sort of trade union. They were tentmakers, working not only in heavy tent-cloth but in the tanned skins of which many tents in that time were made.

Their home was a workshop, their hands were bent by long use of hard tools, very likely they initiated their produce. P & A tents were good tents. Their business was good, for we know they always had room for another guest, for another hand at the workbench. That was one thing helping their marriage to stick.

How many husbands and wives today are working teams? One reason why divorces are more common in cities than on farms is that the city man and his wife seldom have any work in common, while a farmer and his wife are a working team in which each needs the other to succeed. Find some work you can share, even if it is washing the dishes, and you have something to help you hold together through the years.

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**LETTERS TO
THE EDITOR**

(The Hamlin Herald is glad to publish letters from readers on any subject, and will print them without deletion provided they do not violate laws of libel and rules of good taste. The opinions expressed in letters published here are not necessarily those of the paper.)

To the Editor:

I read think and study, hear people express their views on conditions like confronts us all today. These people try to tell you that President Roosevelt and the New Deal was and is the cause of it all. This makes me wonder if people have forgotten back yonder in the twenties and on up in the thirties when the New Deal came in to control of government how quick conditions changed. These people will try to tell you the war put everything up, but if you will remember the war was not declared until 1939. This was seven or eight years after the New Deal came in to control.

Surely sound thinking people have not forgot from 1923 until 1932 when banks all over the country was going broke farmers was losing their farms in fact the most of us was broke. The men that had to work for a living could only exist on the wages he had to work for. Men constructed the highway right by my house for the big sum of one dollar and a nickel per day got five days a week if he got anything else for his family he had to go where he didn't like to go down to the relief station and get what was dished out to him. Bear in mind this was before the New Deal come in to control. I say again that surely sound thinking people doesn't want to see these conditions come upon us again. Soon after President Roosevelt taken over in 1933 things begin to change and by 1933 business in general was moving up and has moved upward until now. Keep in mind these changes was not made by a Republican Congress neither was they made by the man that wanted to be president for 15 years. Here I wonder back again to the by gone years before the New Deal come in to control how conditions was and I cannot understand why people want these conditions to ever come back. The way I feel if all Democrats doesn't vote for President Truman and the New Deal. Here I pause briefly for a word to express my views. Yes I

have it. We would all be ungrateful. The Dixiecrats are putting out a mighty howl about states rights but I believe our Supreme Courts can and will straighten this out. Yes the call session of Congress is over. It didn't do very much. The Republicans with the help of Mr. Dewey hatched out a premeditated political scheme to take the peoples minds off the main issues that Congress was called back to attend to and started an investigation that has messed things up.

Mr. Dewey has already said that he is going to make these investigations one of the main issues in his campaign but I say again why vote for a man that has wanted to be president for 15 years. I tell you he has an ax to grind and if he is elected the big boys will turn the grind rock.

So I ask you to be wise be safe be fair vote for the New Deal and keep those big boys away from that grind rock.

Respectfully,
ALBERT MOORE.

**Effective Spray for
Killing Ants Devised**

Science has come to the housewife's rescue again. This time it's an ant killer that will clear your kitchen of all the ants. About this time of year large swarms of ants invade the kitchen, feeding on nearly everything they find, but they especially go for the sweets, meats, and fats.

Chlordane is taking the place of poison syrups that were once the main control of this pest. It can be used for the control of roaches too and is better than the well-known DDT for killing these two kitchen and pantry insects.

Again, though, it is one of those poisons that is dangerous to people to. So it's a very good idea to remove food, dishes and utensils before spraying with chlordane. If you follow the directions, it's safe and easy to do.

For treating colonies of ants and spraying in the home, use an oil solution of two or three per cent chlordane. And if you can find where the nests are pour a small amount of the liquid in the entrance of each. Check the nests again in about a week to see the results. Repeat the treatment on any of the nests that weren't killed out.

MONEY MAKERS are the Herald want-ads all over! Try and you'll be a firm believer in them. Sell your goods through this fine medium.

**Notice to Long Distance
Telephone Users**

Certain changes in charges and practices pertaining to long distance calls within the State of Texas will be made effective September 1.

Report Charges

Report charges, applied to person-to-person calls under certain conditions since 1919, will be discontinued beginning September 1.

Basic Station-to-Station Day Rates

In 74 of the 800 air line mileage distances, rates will be increased 5 cents. These involve about half of the distances up to 146 miles. Basic rates for longer distances are not affected.

Person-to-Person Day Rates

Person-to-person rates are based on the station-to-station rates. The differential between rates for station-to-station service and for person-to-person service has varied from a minimum of 10 cents per call under 31 miles to an average of over 43 per cent on calls between 31 miles and 150 miles and an average of 35 per cent on calls over 150 miles. The differential will be established with a minimum of 15 cents per call under 45 miles and a uniform differential of about 40 per cent on all other calls. Report charges will be discontinued.

Night and Sunday Rates

A discount of approximately 20 per cent from the station-to-station day rate will apply on all station-to-station calls costing over 40 cents completed during night hours and all day Sunday. The night and Sunday discount on person-to-person calls generally will equal in amount the discount on station-to-station calls between the same points.

The principal changes to be made are described above. More detailed information may be obtained at any company business office.



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Stevenson Given Election by 349

Texas' Closest Race Ends in Slight Lead

Coke Stevenson was announced winner of the runoff primary election for United States senator Wednesday when final, unofficial tabulations in the vote contest were made. Stevenson was given a majority of only 349 votes over Lyndon Johnson.

With almost one million votes cast in a selection in which a tight vote had been forecast, the outcome of last Saturday's voting remained in doubt for three days after the polls closed.

In Jones County, as in most of the counties in this area of the state, Johnson took a substantial lead in the voting.

The vote in this county, as finally tabulated, was 2,151 for Johnson, 1,140 for Stevenson. In Fisher County Johnson was given 1,343 votes to 766 for Stevenson.

In the state as a whole, the vote as announced by the Texas Election Bureau at Dallas, gave Stevenson 494,555 to 494,206 for his opponent.

Stevenson, former governor, took the lead in early returns Saturday and held it until late Saturday night, when Johnson forged ahead. It then was a see-saw fight, with first one then the other in the forefront, throughout Sunday as additional returns came in.

Sunday night Johnson held a considerable majority in the count, but Stevenson nosed him out again Monday.

The vote count will not be official

until returns are canvassed by the State Democratic Committee, which will certify the nominee for place on the general election ballot.

One of the political advisors for Lyndon Johnson said Wednesday that the vote returns in Gregg County probably will be contested by the apparent loser in the ballot battle. Stevenson was given 4,221 to Johnson's 1,978 votes in Gregg County.

Johnson is reported to have said that "ever since the big city returns were in late Saturday night, my vote has increased steadily—except for the alleged 'error' and re-capitulation."

"It is not meant to question the Texas Election Bureau, but the fact remains that my gains have been in votes counted and my gains have been steadily offset by corrections."

Texas election officials said the current race is the closest in the history of the state, considering the large number of votes cast.

Stockholder Meeting Of Hospital Called

An important meeting of stockholders of the Hamlin Memorial Hospital will be held in the Hamlin High School auditorium Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, it was announced this week.

Directors, who called the session urged all stockholders to attend and discuss important matters concerning the medical institution.

First Baptist Church Music School To Open Sunday Night, Close Friday

A course in church music will be taught in the First Baptist Church of Hamlin, beginning Sunday night, and continuing for six nights, according to Rev. A. R. Posey, pastor.

Directed by J. D. Riddle, who has been with the Baptist State Music Department of Texas for many years, the school is designed to aid in a better understanding and appreciation of church music.

Riddle is well known over the state as a capable teacher, Rev.



J. D. RIDDLE

Cotton Storage Is Planned for Warehouse Here

Plans for setting up bonded warehouse storage space for government loan cotton in Hamlin were being discussed this week, and an announcement of final arrangements is expected within a few days.

Under the present federal farm guarantee, the cotton growers are being paid an advance loan on all cotton put into government warehouses, and the amount advanced is, in some cases, as much as the market price for the cotton.

It is estimated that Hamlin storage warehouses at present can take care of approximately 20,000 bales, and it is possible the capacity of the warehouses will be enlarged.

Revival Meeting Is Planned for Calvary

A revival meeting will begin in the Calvary Baptist Church in Hamlin Sunday, Sept. 12, it was announced this week by members of the congregation.

Rev. M. H. Pruitt of Talco will be the evangelist in charge, and the music will be directed by Les Winkle.

Services will be held twice daily, the pastor, Rev. W. E. Nunn, said Thursday.

Bank, Post Office To Close Monday, Sept. 6

While most business houses in Hamlin will remain open throughout the day, the Farmers & Merchants National Bank, and the post office will be closed all day Monday, September 6, in honor of Labor Day.

Labor Day is not among the holidays on which merchants agreed to close. Mrs. M. C. Wilson, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, said

Nine Directors Named For Hamlin Hospital

A group of nine directors were selected by stockholders of the Hamlin Memorial Hospital at a meeting of the organization in the high school auditorium last Thursday evening.

The directors were selected by written ballot from a list of 18 nominees presented.

Those chosen were C. P. Amerson, Fred H. Britton, Holly Toler, Willard Maberry, Clyde R. Angel, Tom Holman, J. B. Terrell Sr., J. S. Inzer and Fred B. Moore Sr.

Two Tests Near Pay Sand in West Hamlin Oil Field

With two completions during the week-end, two new wells were spudded in and drilling began in the West Hamlin oil field, reports Wednesday.

The Dr. Bryant, No. 3, in the southeast corner of the 100 acre lease on the G. A. Poe farm, was also nearing the 1,500 foot level and drilling ahead rapidly.

The Ellis Hall, drilling a south off-set to the General Crude Oil Company's well on the Jackson farm, was also nearing the 1,500 foot depth after spudding in the latter part of last week. The well is also located in the Poe land.

A producer, estimated at more than 300 barrels, was brought in on the Merry Brothers and Perini lease. The well showed pay in dual production from the Swastika and the Palo Pinto reef.

Oil men estimated that the Bryant and the Ellis Hall wells will strike producing sands—if at all—about September 20, when they expect to reach about 4,000 feet.

Sixty Register In First Day of Draft on Monday

Sixty men in the 25-year-old age group registered in the peacetime selective service in Hamlin Monday, the first day of the draft registration, according to Holly Toler, who was appointed with Perry Sparks, postmaster, to oversee the Hamlin sign-up.

By noon Wednesday the number had risen to more than 150, and others were coming in throughout the day, Toler said.

"In Hamlin," Toler declared, "We want men in any of the age groups from 18 to 25, to register when it is most convenient for them. We do not require them to wait until the day set aside for their particular age group. The 18-year-old men may register now," he said.

Actual registration was taking place in the lobby of the Hamlin post office, where Sparks provided tables and chairs for the purpose.

The clerical work of taking care of registrants was being done by a group of 15 volunteer women, with at least two of them on hand at all hours of the day from 8 to 5.

Under rules prescribed by the national draft board, men born in 1922 after August 30, were to register Monday; those born in 1924 were to register Tuesday and Wednesday; men born in 1926 would register Thursday and Friday, and those born in 1928 were to register September 4 and 7.

COACHES PREDICT

1948 Version of Pied Pipers Will Be Ready for Stamford; Game Is Friday

With the first game of the current season only one week away, Coaches dictated their boys will be hard to Red Burditt and John Howell predict.

The Pied Pipers will meet Stamford in the first game of the season Friday night, Sept. 10.

The team this year is made up of boys, most of whom have had little experience, and who are not very heavy, but the coaches said they hope to have them well drilled in the fundamentals of the game that they will be able to use their weight advantage to their own benefit.

Three boys are knocked-out temporarily, they said, but are expected to be back in time for the game



August Rainfall Here Less Than Half Inch

Rainfall in Hamlin during August was less than half an inch, according to the gauge at the City Pump station Wednesday.

Only slight traces were registered during the early part of the month, and the only measurable moisture came Sunday, August 29, when .41 of an inch was gauged.

Cardinals Take Win From Tigers In Tight Game

Forging ahead after five innings of nip-and-tuck baseball, the Hamlin Cardinals defeated the Slaton Tigers on the Hamlin field Saturday night 7 to 5.

Featured by a home run by Brad Rowland Jr., the Cardinals managed to pull away from the Tigers in the seventh inning 2 to 1.

In the sixth the Cardinals tallied the first counter, and the Tigers tied the score when they made a run. Rowland's homer set the pace that brought victory to the local players.

McCoy, on the mound for most of the game, struck out 14 and walked one batter. For the Tigers, French struck out one; Banks struck out three and walked two; Faulkner struck out two and walked one.

Lineup and batting record of Hamlin's team follows:

Player	AB	H
Brown	4	1
Marshall	3	1
Roland Jr.	3	1
Weaver	2	0
Johnson	1	0
Jenkins	4	1
McCoy	4	3
Perryman	4	0
Holland	3	0
Roland Sr.	4	1

The buses will not make side trips for individual students when those students live within a mile of the designated route, Hutchinson said. Cafeterias will begin operation on Thursday, September 9, in both high school and elementary school. The charge for cafeteria service will be the same as last year, 25 cents for elementary and 30 cents for high school. The prices include a complete meal, with milk and dessert.

Registration of senior students with 10% or more credits will be from 8:30 until 10:30 Tuesday; juniors, with from seven to 10, credits will register from 10:30 until 12:00 Tuesday; sophomores, with from three to seven units of credit, will register from 1:00 until 3:00 o'clock; and freshmen, with less than three units of credit, will report at 3 o'clock for registration.

The eighth grade will report at the high school at 3 p.m. Tuesday for registration, inasmuch as this grade will be combined into the high school this term.

All grade pupils will report to their buildings on Wednesday morning, September 8, for registration. Grades from three through seven will be transported into Hamlin to the Primary school.

A large bus has been purchased by the Hamlin district for the Caledon route, but delivery has not yet been made.

School buses will begin operation Wednesday, September 8 on the same routes as last year, and students are advised to be ready early and watch for the buses on the first day or two until schedules have been definitely settled.

Buses will operate along the designated county roads and will make all reasonable efforts to give service for the convenience of the greatest number of students.

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West Texas Chamber of Commerce to Oppose Changes in State Water Laws

West Texas will vigorously oppose the writing of new water laws, recently proposed at a meeting in Austin, which stand as a threat against municipal and domestic needs for water, it has been announced following a meeting of the Water Resource Commission for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in Abilene.

Beard was born December 9, 1853 in Salisbury, Tennessee. He came to Texas in 1882 and settled in McLennan County, where he spent 31 years.

Later he moved to Fisher County, where he spent 19 years, and had been making his home in Hamlin with relatives for the past 12 years.

During most of his adult life, until age forced his retirement, Beard engaged in farming and ranching.

He was a member of the First Methodist Church of Hamlin.

Dr. Will C. House, pastor of the Hamlin Methodist Church, and Bruce Proctor, minister of the North Park Church of Christ in Abilene were in charge of the funeral, and burial was in the Afton Cemetery.

Beard is survived by a brother, Ed Beard, of Okemah, Oklahoma; two nephews, Turner of Morton and J. E. Beard of Hamlin; two nieces, Mrs. Arnold Griffin of Okemah and Mrs. George Peal of Rockford, Illinois; one great nephew, Lindol Beard, Slaton; one great niece, Mrs. Vesta Townley of Hamlin and a great great nephew, Eddie Townley of Hamlin.

The entire WTCC water commission came here for the meeting. It is composed of Winfield Holbrook, Plainview chairman; James N. Allison, Midland; W. O. Fortenberry, Lubbock; C. E. Coombes, Stamford; and Charles South of Cleburne. Homer Hunter, WTCC consulting engineer, also was present.

The group is making its report to President C. P. Dodson and the executive board, following the proposals recently offered for a revision of the Texas water codes, by the Texas Water Conservation Association.

"That part of the proposed surface water code, which gives the present big dams the right to appropriate the ordinary flow, underflow, storm, flood or rain waters in amounts and quantities equal to the holding capacity of such dams, is above and above the right to impound water for domestic purposes," is opposed by the group as "in conflict with Article 7472 which gives our municipalities the unquestioned right to recover the unappropriated water for domestic purposes."

Asking Hamlin citizens for their support, the coaches invited any one interested to watch the team practice at anytime and also urged the public to attend the football games. Two practice sessions are held daily.

"On our Brazos and Colorado watersheds where appropriations are now nine times as large for

hydro-electric power purposes as for domestic and industrial purposes combined, it means that hydro-electric activities must first be carried on before our West Texas communities and cities can have their drinking water."

The proposed law treating ground water as property of the state also was attacked. "In line with our previous adopted declaration of principles, we recommend opposition to this proposed groundwater bill until more facts are available on sources of depletion and replenishment of ground water, and until ground water can be treated from the fundamental principle of the doctrine of correlative rights rather than on a state ownership basis," the group said.

Opposition also was expressed against rewriting the entire water laws of Texas, which would void the WTCC-Wagstaff-Woodward measure which now gives full protection to domestic users. It was also pointed out that such revision would mean unnecessary litigation because these provisions already have been construed.

While opposing these several actions, the group went on record as favoring a reorganization of the State Board of Water Engineers, but pointed out that any newly created board should represent the public interest "and be wholly divorced from water use authorities."

The entire WTCC water commission came here for the meeting. It is composed of Winfield Holbrook, Plainview chairman; James N. Allison, Midland; W. O. Fortenberry, Lubbock; C. E. Coombes, Stamford; and Charles South of Cleburne. Homer Hunter, WTCC consulting engineer, also was present.

The meeting has been called for the purpose of organizing a Jones County chapter of the Rural Roads Association of Texas. Inzer recently was appointed chairman for Jones County by County Judge Roger Garrett, chairman for the 24th district.

Inzer urged that all people who

are interested in "getting rural Tex-

as out of the mud" attend the meet-

ing and help in effecting the orga-

nization.

Additional Revenues for Cities and Counties Seen in Proposed WTCC Law

Additional revenues for cities and counties in West Texas will be made available if the next session of the Texas legislature passes an enabling act proposed by the Soil Conservation Commission of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. The act will be prepared on the assumption that HJR 24 will be passed as a constitutional amendment at the general election in November.

It provides for repeal of the present 30 cent ad valorem state tax and makes it possible for the counties to re-levy the same amount within the county for farm-to-market road and flood control purposes.

Under the program adopted by the WTCC group, the enabling act will contain provisions which will make a part of this money available to the municipalities for flood control and water improvement projects. The remainder will be divided equally between flood control and farm-to-market road work in the county. The committee is working on the assumption that flood control means keeping excess waters out of the streams and on the land, and therefore soil conservation work can be carried out with these funds.

The bill also will provide that



Delighting in an afternoon picnic snack on the lawn of the Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children in Dallas, these young patients enjoy recreation and companionship while undergoing corrective treatment.

Pictured left to right are: Clara Bryan, Midland; Wanda Williams, Eustace; Marguerite Clark, Fort Worth; Melva Sue Bonner, Tyler; and Anna Beth Goodwin, Dallas.

Three of these girls are recovering from the devastating effects of polio at the Scottish Rite Hospital, the remedial center of Texas for that dread disease. The facilities of the hospital, which are provided by gifts and bequests, are made available at no cost to those for whom treatment would otherwise be unobtainable.

It was pointed out that with the passage of HJR 24 as constitutional amendment, it will be necessary for the legislature to pass an enabling act which will permit the counties to re-levy the 30 cent tax. Each county then will be required to authorize this passage by its vote, before the law can be put into effect.

This enabling act will be sponsored by the WTCC and will be offered in the legislature by Sterling Williams, according to General Manager D. A. Bandeen.

old should not be used on more than 25 cows. A mature bull can handle up to 60 if the breedings are spaced through the year.

VETERANS' NEWS

Veterans Administration has prohibited the expenditure of any government funds for veterans' training courses of a recreational or vocational character after July 1, 1948.

The new VA policy is in compliance with the Independent Offices Appropriation Act for 1949 in which Congress directed that VA provide no further payments for courses of this type.

These include, generally, such courses as photography, dancing, personality development, entertainment courses, sports and athletics, bar-tending and certain music courses.

Training veterans to fly or related aviation courses will be paid for by VA only where the veteran establishes that the training is in connection with his present or contemplated business or occupation and can pass required medical examinations.

Veterans presently enrolled in courses of this type will be allowed to finish.

But no future enrollments will be authorized by VA unless veterans completely justify that such training is in connection with their present or completed business or occupation.

Courses of education in approved public or private elementary or secondary schools or institutions of higher learning are not affected by the new VA policy. Neither has there been any change in the status of recognized vocational training institutional on-the-farm training or other training-on-the-job.

"The prohibition of the Appropriation Act of 1949 is in accord with and reemphasizes the underlying spirit and intent of the educational and training provisions of the Servicemen's Readjustment Act," a VA spokesman pointed out.

"Therefore, veterans should not seek to pursue courses for avocational or recreational purposes, but

courses which will contribute to the veterans' vocational or occupational advancement or educational objective."

The Helath Officer pointed out that the greatest defense against cancer is an early diagnosis and competent treatment by a reputable physician. He urged especial

attention to any unnatural bleeding from any body opening, lumps in the breast and skin sores which fail to heal normally.

Cancer Deaths On Increase

Hamlinites were advised this week of an increase of more than 18 per cent in Texas cancer deaths during the five years between 1943 and 1947 has been announced by Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer.

Texas mortality tables compiled by the Texas State Department of Health showed 1943 cancer deaths at 5,557, as compared to 6,770 for 1947.

"The greater part of this tremendous increase in cancer deaths is attributable to needless delay in seeking treatment, once a person has belief to suspect he has a cancerous growth," Dr. Cox said. He added his belief that advertising of patent medicines and so-called cancer quacks puts dangerous and misleading information before the public, thereby adding to the cancer mortality rate. This is because people are lulled by such propaganda and do not receive proper diagnosis and treatment until too late.

Dr. Cox said that almost two-thirds of all cancer cases rely on surgery to remove the cancerous tissue, while the other third may respond to X-ray or radium treatment.

Some of the clothes, of course, don't have to be ironed at all, so they can be folded out in the clothes yard. In this "no-iron"

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Six Millions Receive Cash Payments from Social Security Act

Thirteen is indeed a lucky number for over six million Americans who are receiving cash payments under the several provisions of the Social Security Act. For it was just 13 years ago, on August 10, 1935, that the Social Security Act became law, according to a release to The Herald from the Abilene office of the Social Security Administration.

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list are sheets, bath towels, diapers, knitted underwear, cup towels and so on. Seersucker and some of the materials that don't need ironing are good for work dresses and play clothes.

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Sleeve boards, pressing cloths, and a gadget for holding the cord back out of the way are handy things that will save time and help turn out a better job. Also a drying rack near the ironing board will be convenient for the things you have finished.

A little organization in the process will help, too. Keep together all the pieces that are alike, and stack them in the order you'll be ironing them. Put the linens at the bottom, cottons next and the rayons on top.



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Veterans' News

The questions and answers below about veteran problems are carried as a service to former service connected personnel by The Herald. Material for the column is supplied by the area office of the Veterans Administration at Lubbock.

Q.—My brother was blinded while in service during World War II. Is he entitled to anything to help him overcome his handicap?

A.—A blind veteran entitled to compensation for a service-connected disability may receive, at government expense, a guide dog and various other devices necessary to assist him overcome his handicap.

Q.—If I go to a private physician to determine whether I need hospital treatment or domiciliary care, will the government pay the cost of the examination?

A.—The government will pay the cost of examinations by private physician only if Veterans Administration has given the physician prior authority for such examination.

Q.—How much time do I have in which to complete my education under the provisions of the GI Bill?

A.—Your education, under benefits provided in the Servicemen's Readjustment Act (GI Bill) must be completed nine years after July 25, 1947.

Q.—What is the maximum period of training a disabled veteran may receive under the provisions of the Vocational Rehabilitation Act?

A.—Four years is the maximum, but Veterans Administration may extend the time if factors in any case warrant an additional period for the rehabilitation of the disabled veteran.

Q.—How much floor space, feed space and water space is required for growing ducks?

A.—Recommendations of the duck department of a famous feed concern's demonstration farm per duckling are:

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Q.—How many cows should a bull be able to service in a year?

A.—A bull from one to two years

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OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

Phyllis Richardson Is Bride of Larry McCoy

Marriage vows were exchanged by Phyllis Richardson and Larry McCoy Sunday afternoon, August 29, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Stahl of Leveland.

The Rev. Dan Jones of Hamlin and the double ring ceremony in a setting of greenery and white glass.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother, Gene Richardson, wore an all-white dress with a work yoke. She carried a white bouquet showered with gardenias and white satin streamers.

Edith Ann Scott, bridesmaid, wore an aqua sequin trim dress, and her flowers were carnations.

Leon Lowe, formerly of Hamlin, was best man.

Traditional wedding music was played throughout the ritual.

At the reception, immediately following, Miss Beverly Harvey served the four-tiered all-white wedding cake, topped by a miniature bride and groom. Miss Elma Rae Brewer, Mrs. Angelo ladeled the punch.

Mrs. Eddie Richardson, Miss Margaret Ryan and Mrs. Leon Lowe assisted in serving and Miss Jane Adams presided at the bride book.

Out of town guests attending the wedding were: W. L. Walton, grandfather of the bride, and Mrs. Homer Massey, her aunt from Burbank, California; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McCoy, parents of the groom, Sweetwater; Mrs. C. E. McCoy and daughter of Slaton; Mrs. Effie McCoy of Los Angeles, Larry's mother; Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Walton and Mr. and Mrs. John E. Walton and son, Stan.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Richardson

Rev. and Mrs. Dan Jones, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McCoy and daughters, Kay

Jane Adams, Edith Ann Scott, Margaret Ryan, Beverly Harvey, Lee

Carter and Gerald Young, all of Hamlin; and Elma Rae Brewer, San Angelo; Dan Jones Jr., Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Lowe, Whiteface.

For a wedding trip to New Mexico,

the bride chose a brown gabardine suit with aqua crepe blouse, brown dove feather hat and brown accessories. Her corsage was gardenias.

Mrs. McCoy, a graduate of Hamlin High School, is a sophomore at Texas Tech in Lubbock, and a member of Las Vivas Chicas Sorority.

McCoy, also a Hamlin graduate,

is a Navy veteran and a junior in Texas Tech.

The couple will live in Lubbock,

where both will continue in college.

Sunbeams Hold Picnic As Event of Monday

The Sunbeam, an organization for children up to seven years old, of the First Baptist Church had a picnic Monday evening at the City Park.

The children played on new swings that were recently placed in the park. For refreshments they had sandwiches and punch.

Ned and Renee Moore, Kay and Gene Shelburne, Lillie Sue Austin, Pinky Sellers, Lu Ree Bond, Nancy Carter, Rebecca An Ferguson, Jaina Wallace, Gloria Jean Jenkins, Bryan Shelburne and Jeffery Fields were the children present.

Mrs. Cecil Sellers is the teacher and Mrs. Delma Shelburne assisted in supervising the children.

Miss Jackie McCoy Is Member of Rangerettes

Miss Jackie McCoy, who spent her early childhood in Hamlin, is now a member of the Rangerettes, an entertainment troupe playing in Alaska.

Miss McCoy, the daughter of Mrs. Effie McCoy now of L's Angeles, attained wide local recognition as an accordian player in this vicinity.

At present the troupe is located at Anchorage.

Hamlin Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vaughan Jr., a son, named Jimmy Dale, Friday, August 27 in the Hamlin Memorial Hospital. The child weighed seven pounds and three and one-half ounces.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Woodard Jr., a daughter, in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene. The child weighed five pounds and 13 ounces, and has been named Linda Joyce. Woodard is employed in Hamlin at the Spencer Lumber Company.

D. H. Pound of Colorado brought his grandson Ronald Pound to be with his mother Mrs. Lucy Moore, who is visiting her mother Mrs. D. J. Turner.

Gordon Bennett of Abilene was a visitor in Hamlin Tuesday. Bennett formerly lived here and was principal of the Hamlin High School.

Mrs. Mills and her brother, Dr. Hill C. House have returned from a month's vacation in Dallas, Arkansas, Missouri and Colorado.

Miss Judy Via of Breckenridge this week of her mother, Mrs. Pat Mrs. M. T. Via.

Mrs. Young of Vernon is a guest this week of her mother, Mrs. Pat Collins in Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fuquay of Stamford have moved to Hamlin to make their home. They are living in an apartment in the Wiley Estes home.

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RETURN FROM VACATION.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bonner, Janet and Robert returned August 23 from their vacation. They visited Mrs. Bonner's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Cradle Jordan in Seminole and Mrs. Bonner's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Clark in El Paso also they visited in Balmorhea, the children went to a summer camp near there. They visited Mr. Bonner's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bonner in Deming, New Mexico. Mrs. Bonner returned to her home in Sweetwater with them. They also visited Mrs. Bonner's mother, Mrs. J. W. Clark in Sweetwater.

Mrs. Eddie Jay and sons, James, Ed, Jerry Fred and Gary Ted spent Friday in Dallas.

Mrs. Clinton Gillis and Mrs. Dode Sanford of Abilene spent the weekend in Hamlin with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Henson and two daughters, Helen Andrea and Ellen Henson have recently moved to Hamlin. They are living in the G. W. Kincaid apartment. Henson is superintendent of a construction crew at Celotex.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Owens and baby, Carolyn of Sweetwater, were guests of Mrs. Owen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Martin, last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Bailey and son of Odessa were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Howington and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bailey Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Glenn and children have moved to Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ballew, returned Monday from a visit in Killean with their daughter, Mrs. Heflin Miller and Mr. Miller. Heflin has been seriously ill but his condition is reported to be improving.

W. L. Boyd is in Marlin for a two weeks stay, where he will take mineral baths.

Mrs. E. R. Barlow of Atlanta, Georgia, mother of Mrs. J. F. Hocott, is visiting in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Hocott.

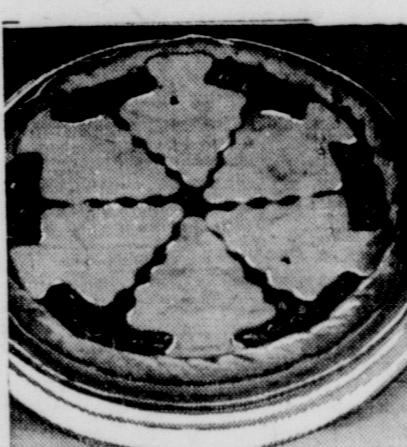
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Murrell went to Odessa Tuesday to spend a few days with relatives. Murrell planned to spend Wednesday hunting doves near Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sewell and daughter of Abilene are guests of friends in Hamlin this week.

BAKE SALE SATURDAY.

Members of the Ladies Auxiliary of Veterans of Foreign Wars will conduct a bake sale Saturday, September 4, it was announced this week. Proceeds will be used to buy furnishings for the post club room.

Mealtimes Magic



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1/4 cup sugar
2 tbs. cornstarch
1/2 tsp. salt

juice and rind of 1 lemon

2 tbs. fortified margarine

1 baked pie crust shell (and top crust if desired.)

Pour water over the raisins; simmer gently 5 minutes. Mix sugar, cornstarch, salt, grated rind. Pour into this some of the raisin liquid; then add to the whole raisin mixture.

Add lemon juice. Stir over low heat until mixture is rich and thick and the cornstarch well cooked (taking at least 5 minutes).

Add margarine. Stir until melted.

Pour into the baked pie shell.

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Santa Fe Carloadings For Week Are Lower

Carloadings on the Santa Fe Railway system for the week ending August 28, 1948, dropped more than 7,000 from the loadings for the same period in 1947, a report issued this week revealed.

For the period in 1947 the system reported 28,767 and for 1948 the report was 26,252.

Hamlin Memorial Hos. News Notes

Admissions to the Hamlin Memorial Hospital this week were Mrs. E. W. Gardner, for operation, and F. B. Connell, for medical treatment.

Patients discharged from the hospital were Pat Etheridge, J. A. Morris, Delma Lee Yeary and Mrs. Carl C. Wilson.

RELEASED FROM HOSPITAL

Richard Lujan of Hamlin was released from the Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene Saturday after undergoing treatment.

Gene Curtis of Stigler, Oklahoma arrived in Hamlin Wednesday to visit his father, Roy J. Curtis.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brown were guests last week in the home of Mrs. Brown's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Joe King and family of Victoria, and the home of her sister, Mrs. Gordon Green and family of Driscoll.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brown and son, Duane, Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Green and son, Elvis, of Driscoll, Mr. and Mrs. Cloda Hubbard and daughter, Kay, and W. S. King of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Elkins and children Davy and Ramona of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Robert King and children, Eileen and Jean of Rochester, and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Robinson and children of Snyder.

ANNIVERSARY OF PARCEL POST

Department Announces Worldwide Airmail Parcel Post Service

On the anniversary of the first existance, Sparks said, travel by parcel post deliveries in the United States, inauguration of a worldwide airmail parcel service was announced by Perry Sparks, Hamlin postmaster.

Parcel post service by air went into effect Wednesday, September 1, Sparks announced, and with its advent to aid rural citizens, who were unable to go into the larger towns for shopping, parcel post became a popular method of sending small articles from one place to another.

Transportation facilities in those days were slow and tedious, and motor-driven vehicles were few. Paved roads were scarce and travel was on a much smaller scale than today.

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The Nations That Forget

There is a classic reference in Holy Writ to the "nations that forgot God," and many students of the Bible believe that the current generation is witnessing, more than has any other, the fulfillment of this prophecy.

There are nations which are classed as Christian, and there are other nations which may be said to be anti-Christian. But modern events have served to destroy the line of distinction between the two classes to such an extent that an observer might well determine that all nations have forgotten God!

Here in America, a land whose foundation was built on the basic concept of the aid of Divine Providence, most of those in authority have abandoned all pretenses to a firm belief in the leadership of the Lord of Hosts. And many of those who still pay lip service to God have shown little desire to follow the teachings of His Word.

Abandoning the age-old customs of morality and humble dependence upon the guidance of God, national leaders in recent years have shown little of either, but instead have blatantly held themselves out as sources of wisdom and final arbiters of the destiny of mankind.

It is small wonder that our generation has succeeded in getting the world into a situation where no ray of hope seems able to penetrate the gloom of national despair. It is small wonder that international relations are constantly strained to the point of bloodshed and carnage and destruction.

After two generations of failure on the part of human leadership it would be a refreshing change to have a few leaders who would advocate returning to sublime faith and trust in the God of our fathers.

After passing through the blood bath of two world wars and apparently standing upon the threshold of the third, it is high time that those in authority humble themselves, turn aside from their worship of intellectualism, and once more bow the knee in humility before the Almighty Ruler of the Universe.

There is nothing needed in America and the world today so much as a revival of old-fashioned religion. The kind that will make men love their neighbors and respect morality. Such a revival must come if the world is to be saved from ultimate destruction at the hands of the coldly intellectual crowd of men and women who have deserted the altar of God for worship of materialism.

Perhaps for too long we have had the cart before the horse. If our so-called leaders refuse to acknowledge this need,

perhaps the "little people" who have not strayed so far from the path of righteousness, should begin the trend and send new leadership to places of high authority—men who will not feel embarrassed to acknowledge simple faith in the providence of God.

In the seemingly inevitable clash between the ideology of Communism and the ideals of Christianity it would be comforting to know that once more our country had repented of its backsliding and aligned itself on the side of God—a God who has promised help in the time of trouble.

"My Vote Won't Count . . ."

Frequently at election time voters are heard to remark, "I won't take time to go to the polls, because my vote won't make any difference—one vote won't count anyway."

Never in the history of Texas has that remark been more clearly refuted than in the current see-saw finish of the battle between Coke Stevenson and Lyndon Johnson.

Somewhere in Texas today are scores of men and women whose hearts were with one or the other of these candidates, but who neglected to go to the polls. If every Texan had done his duty last Saturday in voting, it is likely that one or the other of the candidates would now have a clear majority.

In this time of international crisis, and in the death struggle between democracy and totalitarianism it is a solemn obligation resting upon the shoulders of every eligible person to go to the polls and express a free choice. Such action would strengthen the sinews of democracy immeasurably.

A Half Million Texans

Paraphrasing the cliché about "forty million Frenchmen," one might say "Half a million Texans can't be wrong."

And by this device the supporters of Coke R. Stevenson could urge that their candidate in last week's primary should have been the unanimous choice of the state's voters, for Stevenson lacked only a handful of votes of reaching the half million count.

But, on the other hand, the proponents of Lyndon Johnson would have no less logical argument in claiming that their candidate should have been the unanimous choice of the voters.

Surely, in the instance of the senatorial race, a half million Texans were wrong about one candidate or the other—unless it is true that both had merit, and either would have made good as a member of the upper house of Congress.

Aviation Cadets May Rejoin Flying Group

United States Air Force will give special consideration to former Aviation Cadets whose flying instruction was ended by the curtailment of the program near the close of World War II, Captain Wayne Hall, commanding officer of the US Army and US Air Force Recruiting station in Abilene said today.

Major George P. Owen, representing an Air Force traveling team which was in Abilene August 27 explained that new quotas enable the Air Force to offer special consideration to young men who volunteered from flying duty during the war.

Under the new plan, Major Owen said, men who had qualified as Aviation Cadets during the war and who either were awaiting assignment to, or actually undergoing pilot training when the program was reduced in 1944-45, will not be obliged to take the qualified cadets will be required only to pass the physical examination to be eligible for pilot training, provided they still meet the general eligibility re-

quirements as to age, marital status and education.

Other questions may be answered by going to Abilene to the Recruiting office for interviews and the like.

Funeral Rites Monday For Miss Viola Chism

Funeral services were conducted Monday in the Hamlin Church of Christ for Miss Viola M. Chism, 65, who died in Wilhita Falls, last Saturday.

Miss Chism was a pioneer school teacher in this section of Texas. She was born in Almeda July 18, 1883.

Bruce Proctor, minister of the North Park Church of Christ of Abilene, was in charge of the service, and burial was in the East Cemetery, directed by Barrow Funeral Directors.

Miss Chism is survived by a sister, Mrs F. M. Crow of Hamlin.

Mr and Mrs C. G. Green have returned from a vacation in Galveston.

Thomas Style Shoppe Offers New Clothing

A complete new stock of merchandise is offered Hamlin shoppers by the Thomas Style Shoppe, successor to Euell's Dress Shop, Mrs. W. T. Thomas, manager, said this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, who came here from Abilene, purchased the business last week and took charge last Wednesday. They returned from Dallas Wednesday of this week where they bought fall and winter merchandise.

The Thomas Style Shoppe features several lines of exclusive dressses, lingerie and hose.

VISITS IN SAN DIEGO.

Mrs John O'Neil left for San Diego, California, Wednesday, where she will visit her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Jones. Mr. and Mrs. Jones announced the birth of a son this week. Mrs. Jones is the former Lydia O'Neil of Hamlin, and Jones is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Jones of Hamlin.

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No. 2 Can
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE 5c

No. 2 Can Fancy H&W
GREEN BEANS 15c

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MORTON'S SALT c

Heavy Syrup, No. 2 1/2 Can
PEACHES 31c

HEINZ, Bread and Butter
PICKLES, quart jar 29c

No. 2 Can, Fancy LECANO
SPINACH 10c

SS BRAND, Grated
TUNA, can 37c

LIFEBOUY
5¢ SALE

SWAN SOAP, 3 bars 29c

LUX FLAKES, 1 lg, 1 small 38c

ADMIRATION COFFEE

3 lb. jar \$1.65

4 lb. box 27c

GOLD CHAIN FLOUR
25 lbs. \$1.69

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Coffee Mug FREE with Every

25 lb Sack of GOLD CHAIN

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OXYDOL, large box 33c

MAGIC, large box 31c

CHIFFON, large box 29c

KALEX BLEACH, qt. btl. 14c

STEEL WOOL, ad 5c

ELASTIC STARCH, 10c box 5c

CAMEO STARCH, with dish ag 10c

LIGHTHOUSE CLEANSER, can 5c

DOZEN, Plastic Colored
CLOTHES PINS 35c

GALVANIZE TUBS, No. 2 \$1.39
" No. 3 \$1.69

3 Bars
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CHURCHES

Editor's Note—We of The Herald would like to have all the church news from the surrounding communities. Send the news to us, please!

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Will C. House, D. D. Minister
Joe A. Simpson, superintendent
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
Mid-Week Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. A. R. Posey, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Preaching 11:00 a. m.
Training Union 7:00 p. m.
Evening Preaching 8:00 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday 8:00 p. m.
W. M. U. Monday 4:00 p. m.
GA (Girls), Monday 9:30 a. m.
RA (Boys), Monday 9:30 a. m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Rev. Howard Smith, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Preaching 10:45 a. m.
N. Y. P. S. 7:15 p. m.
Evening Service 8:00 p. m.
Mid-Week Prayer Service, Wednesday 8:15 p. m.
W. F. M. S., Mondays 3:00 p. m.

FOURSQUARE CHURCH

Rev. Alice Harrell, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Preaching 11:00 a. m.
Crusaders 6:30 p. m.
Preaching 7:45 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday at 7:45 p. m.
Bible Study, Friday 7:45 p. m.
Circle for Ladies Missionary Society held each Monday in different homes at 2:30 p. m.
Services held at the Gravel Pit each Thursday at 7:45 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

J. Cleo Scott, Minister
Morning Bible Class 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 10:50 a. m.
Evening Bible Class 6:45 p. m.
Evening Worship Hour 7:30 p. m.
Bible Study, Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH

Donald F. Berry, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Preaching 11:00 a. m.
Evening Preaching 8:00 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday at 8:00 p. m.
Bible Study, Friday 8:00 p. m.
Woman's Missionary, Tuesday at 2:00 p. m.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. W. E. Nunn, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Preaching Service 11:00 a. m.
Training Union 7:00 p. m.
Preaching Hour 8:00 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday at 8:00 p. m.
W. M. S. 2:30 p. m.
Choir Practice, Friday 8:00 p. m.

NIENDA BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. A. C. Roberts Jr., Pastor
Sunday School 10:30 a. m.
Morning Preaching 11:00 a. m.
Evening Preaching 8:00 p. m.

NEINDA METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. William McReynolds, Pastor
Every first Sunday preaching service
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Service 11:00 a. m.
Evening Service 8:00 p. m.

MCMAULLEY METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. William McReynolds, Pastor

**Are YOU Going Thru
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Does the functional 'middle-age' period peculiar to women (38-52 yrs.) make you suffer from hot flushes, feel so nervous, high-strung, irritable, weak? Then try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to relieve such symptoms. It's famous for this!

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SYLVESTER METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Elra Phillips, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Preaching 11:00 a. m.
M. Y. F. 7:15 p. m.
Evening Service 8:00 p. m.
Mid-Week Prayer Service, Wednesday 8:15 p. m.
W. S. C. S., Mondays 3:00 p. m.

DOVIE METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Olin Butler, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Service 11:00 a. m.
Prayer Service 7:30 p. m.
Evening Service 8:00 p. m.

Taylor REA Gets Big Government Loan

A loan of \$460,000 has been made to the Taylor Electric Cooperative, which serves 25 miles of rural electric lines in Jones County, according to the office of Omar Burleson, member of congress.

The loan was granted by the Rural Electrification Administration, and is for the purpose of expanding facilities in the area served by the Taylor Cooperative.

GOLAN METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. William McReynolds, Pastor
Every third Sunday preaching service.

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Service 11:00 a. m.
Evening Service 8:00 p. m.

Collings Is Winner in Race for Court Justice

Ceci C Collings of Howard County won the promotion he sought from the district court bench to the 11th Court of Civil Appeals, final returns in the primary election revealed.

Collings polled more than 36,000 votes to defeat Judge Allen D Dabney of Eastland, who took more than 27,000 votes.

In Jones County Collings was given 1,907 while his opponent was given 1,364. In Fisher County the vote was Collings 1,123, Dabney, 810.

Mr and Mrs. Harold Fletcher and baby left Saturday for Florida to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Angie Gray Griffin returned Friday to their home in Los Angeles after a month's visit with Griffin's mother, Mrs. Doc Griffin.

Pvt. Elbert Grimes Is Serving in Japan Area

Pfc Elbert L Grimes, son of Mrs. Marion Grimes of Hamlin, RFD 3, is on duty with the United States occupation forces in Japan.

Grimes joined the Army in June,

1947, in Dallas, and came to Japan in November of that year. He was assigned to the 1st Platoon, 5th Special Service Co., which is stationed at Koei, on the island of Honshu.

Mr and Mrs Ed Boiley spent Tuesday in Plainview looking after their farm interests.

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Sentinels of Health

Don't Neglect Them!

Nature designed the kidneys to do a marvelous job. Their task is to keep a free flow of waste products and toxic impurities. The act of living itself is constantly producing waste matter the kidneys must remove from the blood if good health is to endure.

When the kidneys fail to function as Nature intended, there is retention of waste that may cause body-wide distress. One may suffer nagging backache, persistent headache, attacks of dizziness, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes—feeling tired, nervous, worn out.

Frequent, scanty or burbling passages are sometimes further evidence of kidney or bladder disturbance.

The kidney is a powerful treatment agent. It helps the kidneys get rid of excess poisonous body wastes. Use Doan's Pill. They have had more than forty years of public approval. Are Doan's Pill safe? Ask any druggist.

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Skylark Bread	1 1/2-Lb. Loaf	20c
Skylark Bread	1-Lb. Loaf	15c
Preserves Tropic Grape or Peach	21-Oz. Jar	23c
Pork & Beans Western Gold	16-Oz. Can	10c
Fresh Eggs Morning Star, Large and Medium Mixed	Doz.	62c

Typical Safeway Savings

Bread Mrs. Wright's Extra Tender	1 1/2-Lb. Loaf	18c
Eggs 12-Grade, Mixed Colors	Doz.	55c
Eggs Oak Glen, Grade A Large, Mixed Colors	Doz.	69c
Cheese Food Breeze	1/2-Lb. Pkg.	33c
Margarine Sunny Bank	1-Lb. Pkg.	35c
Margarine Blue Bonnet Colored	1-Lb. Pkg.	45c
Cherub Milk	3 Tall Cans	43c
Milk Carnation Evaporated	3 Tall Cans	45c
Marshmallows Fluffiest Pkg.	1-Lb. Pkg.	27c
Chewing Gum 5¢ Values	3 For	13c
Cigarettes Popular Brands	Ctn.	\$1.73

Airway Coffee	1-Lb. Pkg.	39c
Edwards Coffee	1-Lb. Can	47c
Folgers Coffee	1-Lb. Can	49c
Syrup Hershey's Chocolate	16-Oz. Can	14c
Dressing Duchess Salad	16-Oz. Jar	37c
Dressing Cascade Salad	16-Oz. Jar	29c
Catsup Red Hill Tomato	13 1/2-Oz. Bot.	15c
Pickles American Whole Dill	22-Oz. Jar	23c
Dog Food Vets	3 Lbs. Cons.	25c
Kleenex Paper Tissues 200 Count	2 Pkgs.	35c
Old Dutch Household Cleanser	Reg. Ctn.	10c

BITS OF NEWS:

W. A. Albritton attended a meeting of Retail Merchants Association leaders in Abilene Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brown of Hamlin and Guy Brown and Guy Brown Jr., of San Angelo, spent Monday and Tuesday at Possum Kingdom fishing.

Mrs Marshall Richardson returned to Hamlin this week after a month's visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr and Mrs Brandon White and children in Stephenville.

Mrs Loren Griffin and two children of Wichita Falls are guests of Mrs Griffin's parents, Mr and Mrs Tom Teague in Hamlin.

Betty Sue Lane of Solado spent the week here as a guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr and Mrs Fred Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Altum and baby, of Abilene, spent the weekend in Hamlin with their parents, Mr and Mrs Leonard Altum and Mrs Joe Dutton.

Mr and Mrs Turner Beard, former residents of Hamlin, are here this week because of the death of Mr Beard's uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. Arice Jones of Greenville have announced the birth of a daughter. Mr and Mrs. Jones are former residents of Hamlin. Arice is the son of Mrs. Maurice Jones of the Neinda community.

FOR SALE!!

I HAVE two or three good quarter sections of farm land near Hamlin. Can give terms if needed.

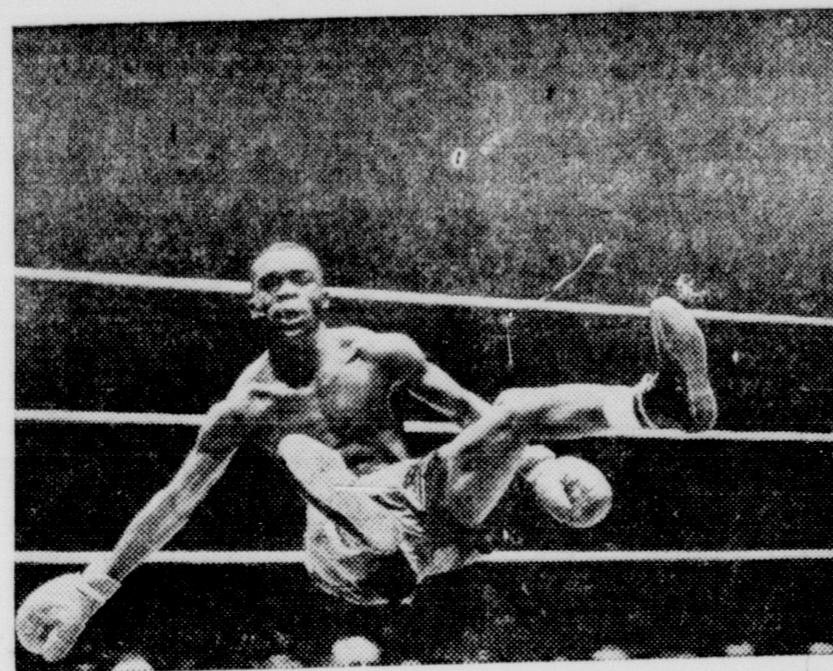
CHOIE 5-ROOM house; in lovely location; beautiful shrubbery. Don't fail to see this one.

FIVE-ROOM house near the High School. Price \$3,500. \$1,200 cash will handle this sale.

NICE - FIVE ROOM house, modern, price \$3,700. Located between the schools. Would consider trading for cheaper property.

215 ACRES, 19 in cultivation, \$12,000 worth of improvements. Located 2½ miles from town. Would consider good home in Hamlin as part payment. One of the best farms in County. Be glad to show you this farm.

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Real Estate



One ten-thousandth of a second—faster than the flick of a fly's wing—was the exposure time for this Speed Graphic shot made by Chester Gabrysiak, Chicago Tribune photographer, while covering Golden Gloves bouts at Chicago Stadium. Stroboscopic lights permitted very fast exposure. Gabrysiak, one of the country's top sports photographers, started as a copy boy in 1926.

SCHOOL LEADERS CONCERNED OVER NEEDS OF TEXAS SCHOOLS

Jones County school supervisors, trustees and teachers are concerned over the increased enrollments expected for the terms soon to open, because housing and teacher demands will tax the county's facilities. Likewise, the problem is a statewide one that has elicited the attention of the Texas State Teachers Association.

Some of the problems and suggested solutions as submitted by the state association are presented in the article below:

Texas must adequately prepare for 180,000 more children in its schools in the next decade or lower its educational standards.

Charles H. Tennyson, director of public relations for the Texas State Teachers Association, sounded that that this week.

The huge increase in the birth rate during the last few years will add to the enrollment in Texas schools by nearly 82,000 pupils four years from now and by 152,000 in 1957, Tennyson said.

"It stands to reason we will have to have that many more classrooms.

"Leaders in school districts and state government should take careful note. The situation calls for planning along practical lines in order that adequate provisions be made for education of these children."

"Texas is no exception. From figures on the annual birth rate provided by the United States Bureau of Vital Statistics, we know that births increased 1,549,601 throughout the United States from 2,360,399 in 1940 to 3,910,000 in 1947.

"Enrollment started increasing throughout the country last year. In Texas it was up more than 7,000 pupils. The State Department of Education this week estimated an additional 8,000 students would enroll this fall.

"That is just the beginning. Enrollment will snowball from then on.

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• Lost and Found

STRAY CALF—Three miles east of Garrett's place. One year old, black calf.—Owner call for and identify animal and pay for this ad and for keep of animal. 1c

FOUND—Small white pig on Main Street, August 31.—Billy Bowman. 1p

• Business Services

FOR SALE—Batteries, 45 plate, 24 months guarantee, \$14 exchange.—McCoy Brothers. 44-3p

• Cards of Thanks

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our appreciation to all of our friends for their kindness during the illness and the death of our dear brother and uncle, Ed Beard, Mr and Mrs J E Beard and Lincoln, Mr and Mrs M T Beard, Mr and Mrs A G Griffin, Mr and Mrs George Peel, Mrs Vesta Townley and Eddie. 1p

HOMES FOR SALE
THREE BEDROOM Stucco, well located.
FOUR ROOM and bath, frame construction.
Inquire at F & M BANK or Ted Russell or Tate May. 1c

FOR SALE—A modern house on corner lot, located among the best people of Hamlin. Will sell for less than can be built for.—Phone 422-W or Stewart Furniture, Phone 151. 44-3p

TRY THE HERALD want ads; for they sell your old, useable things

CARD OF THANKS

May we express our deep gratitude and appreciation to our many friends and loved ones for their deeds of kindness shown us during or recent sorrow. Especially to the VFW, Ladies' Auxiliary, Methodist Church, and to each and everyone who helped in any way, and for the beautiful flowers. May God bless and keep you, our prayer.—Mr and Mrs Ray Teague and children; Mr and Mrs R V Teague and family; Mrs W E McLendon and family. 1p

• Real Estate For Sale

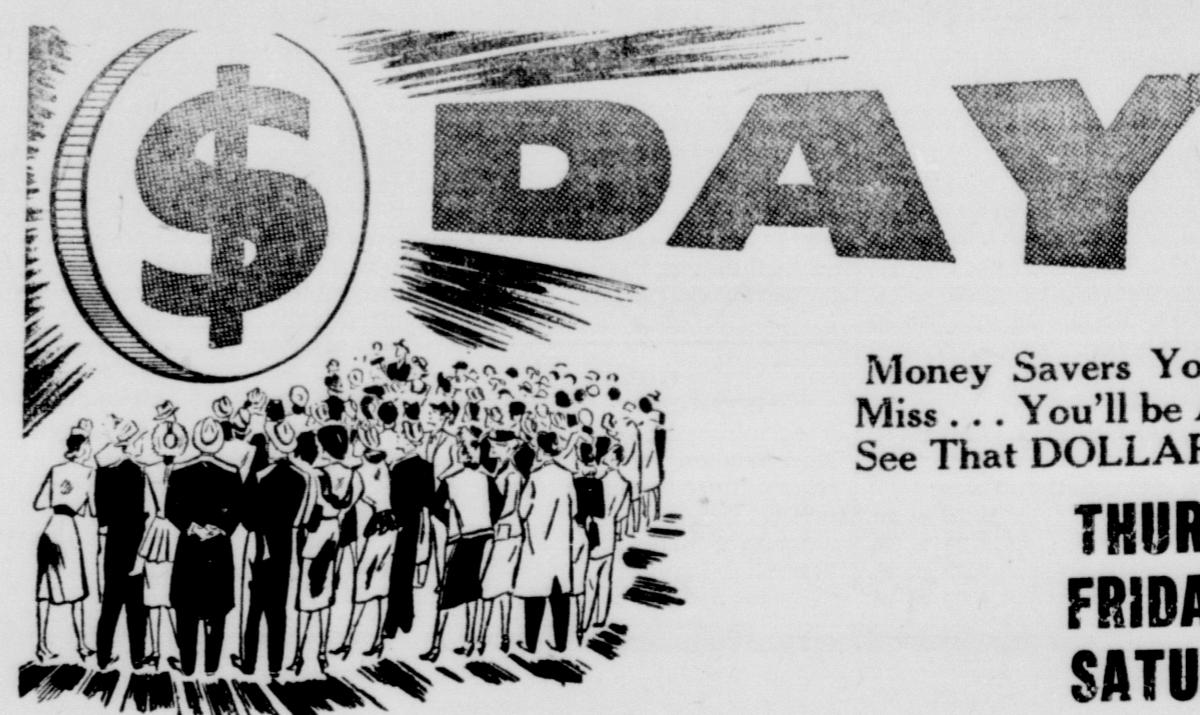
POR SALE—160 acres farm, 50 acre pasture, 110 under cultivation. FIVE room house and bath, good soft water piped in. Electricity; on mail and school bus route.

TWO underground cisterns, electric pump, well and windmill.—T C Gregory, Neinda. 44-3p

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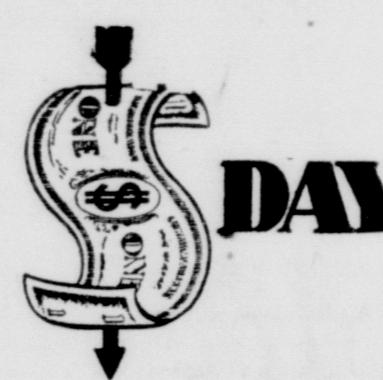
One Lot BOYS PANTS
Blue Shantung
Age 10 to 14
\$1.00

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MEN and BOYS WHITE
T-SHIRTS
69c to 98c



PURSES
Values to \$4.95
Choice—
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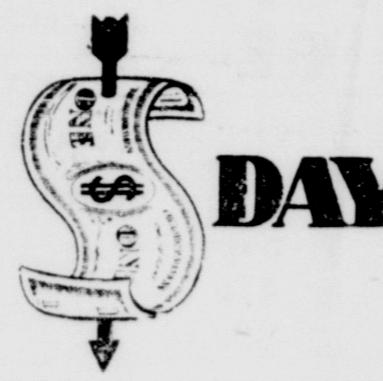
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Arrow Undershirts
Regularly \$1.50 for
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One Lot BOYS
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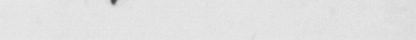
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REGULAR PRICE
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DRESS PANTS



One Lot
Men and Boys SHIRTS
Various kinds and sizes
Choice—
\$1.00

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\$1.00 OFF
On Reg. Price SHOES
\$3.95 Up
40% Off Reg. Price SHOES
\$1.50 to \$3.75
All High Grade SHOES



Big Assortment—
Printed Batiste, Demity
and Muslin
Reg. 75c - 89¢ to \$1.00
Now—
59¢ or 2 yds \$1.00

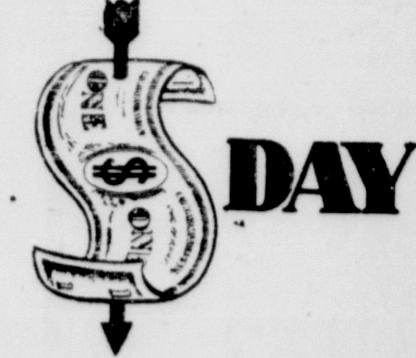


Men and Boys BELTS
Regular \$1.50 for—
\$1.00

Dollar Day

One Lot WOMENS'
DRESS SHOES
Values to \$7.50
Choice—
\$1.00

\$1.00 OFF on House SHOES



Laguna Shantung
and Rivera Prints
Reg. \$1.19 for
\$100 yd.

Bryant Link Co.
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TRUE STORIES of WEST TEXAS

(By N. H. Kincaid, 2618 History St., Abilene, Texas—Copyrighted)

J. WRIGHT MOAR, BUFFALO HUNTER

As the young woodcutter pocketed his pay and turned to leave the quartermaster's building at Fort Hays, Kansas, his eye chanced on in the form of a personal letter and being read by another man, but the contents were interesting indeed—especially since the woodcutter was now out of a job.

"Pardon me, Sir," he said to the stranger "but this man Lobenstein," and he pointed to the signature of the letter in the stranger's hand, "is he really paying people to kill buffaloes?"

Charlie Rath turned angrily toward the intruder, but seeing the anxious eagerness in the youngster's eyes, stilled his retort.

"Yes," he found himself explaining, "Lobenstein is hiring Charles Myers and me to furnish him these buffalo hides. An English firm wants 500 for experimental purposes. If you are interested go see him. He is located in Fort Leavenworth and is a reputable fur dealer."

So he met two men who were destined to help write the pages of Plains history from Dodge City, Kansas to the Concho Country of West Texas.

J. Wright Moar was hired by Lobenstein to fill a prorata part of the 500 quota, and in doing so, had 57 hides left over. These were sent by Moar to his brother John in New York with the requests that he try to sell them, perhaps to some tanner or leather-making firm.

Big incidents swing on little things. The bales of hides were seen by a Pennsylvania tanner who bought them and for \$3.50 a hide, tested them, and then ordered 2,000 more at the same price.

And this is where the history part comes in. For it was this order that launched the Big Buffalo Kill of the seventies. This was in 1872, and John hurried to join his brother who was already hunting and selling a few buffalo hides and meat to Charlie Rath, who had set up his own store in Dodge City.

The Moar brothers formed a hunters company, hiring their men and furnishing equipment. In 1873 they, with other hunters, swung down into the Texas Panhandle, entering in the present Hansford County. They were followed within a few months by two different merchandising firms—that of A. C. Myers and of Charlie Roth. These men, together with James Hanrahan, saloon keeper and Tom O'Keefe, blacksmith, located at what became known as Adobe Walls.

But that is another story. Suffice it to say that the industry reached immense proportions within the next five years. It swept down the High Plains, with Fort Griffin becoming the central merchandising point in 1876, assisted by Hide Town (Snyder) and Rath City or Reynolds the two following years.

And always the Moar brothers' firm was on the field. When the buffalo had been exterminated and the industry closed in 1879, J. Wright Moar had already started into the ranching business. He located north of present Snyder, and the Plains of West Texas became his home thereafter.

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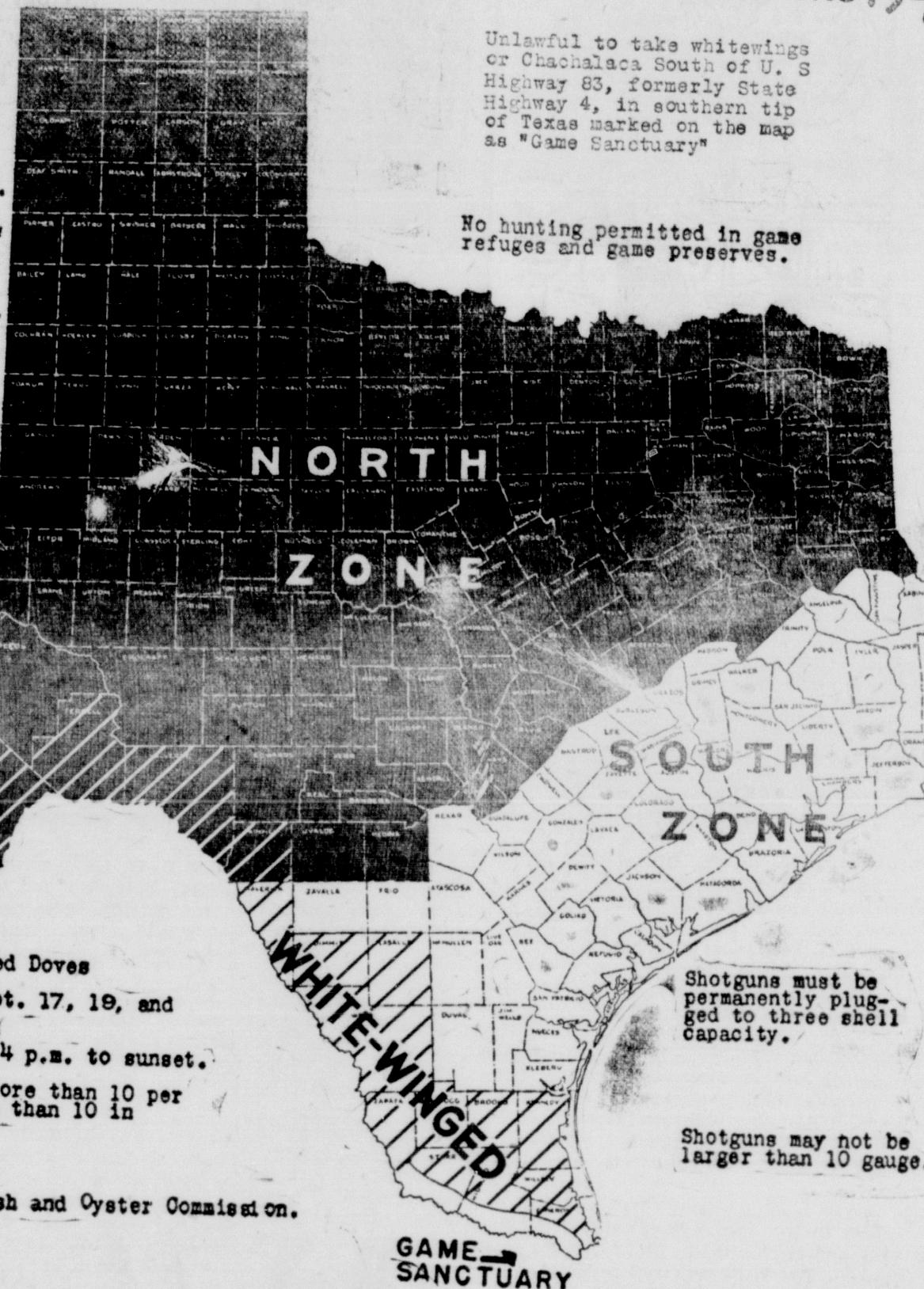
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Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission.



Farm Facts

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Q.—How many eggs in 100 pounds of feed?

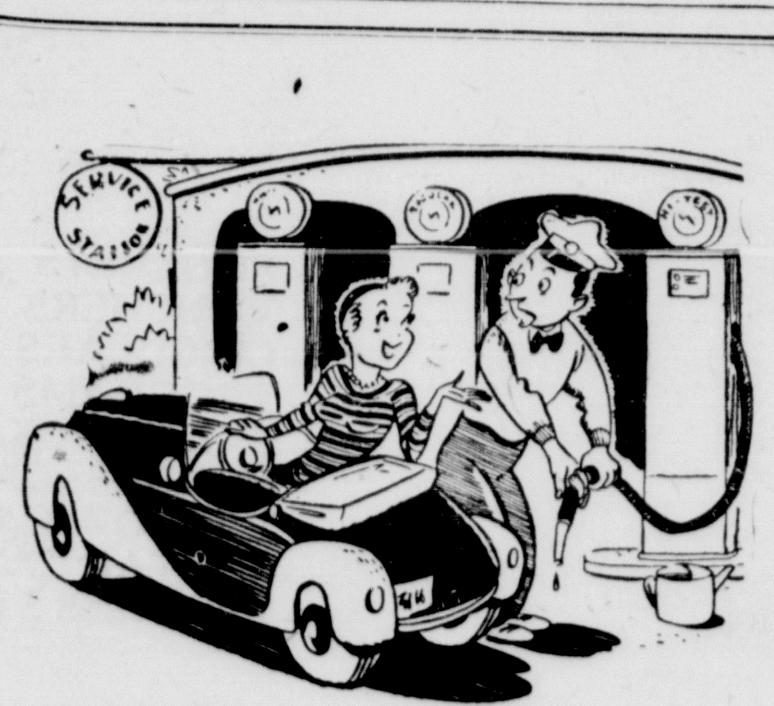
A.—The national average is only about 155 eggs from 100 pounds of feed. But with today's good breeding and balanced rations, a complete laying mash should average at least 185 eggs per bag of feed and may go up to 230 eggs or more. A famous feed concern is now conducting

an unusual contest for poultrymen on this point, featuring seven rules of good management which can increase "eggs per bag." A booklet outlining the seven rules and a contest entry blank may be obtained without charge from any Purina dealer.

Q.—Should block salt be kept before cows?

A.—Yes, as the amount of salt dairy cows need is almost entirely an individual proposition, varying with the size of the cows, the type of ration and the amount of milk produced. In addition, some cows seem to have a special appetite for extra salt. Milking rations should contain one per cent salt, but block salt should also be available for the cows to eat according to their individual desires.

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Mrs. Effie McCoy of Los Angeles a former resident of Hamlin, is spending this week here as a guest of her sons and other relatives.

Eugene Reagan of Hillsboro visited Miss Hortense Phenix and her parents Mr and Mrs. Carl Phenix, last week-end.

Miss Hortense Phenix will leave Saturday to take her position as teacher in the music department in the Alamo Elementary School in Wichita Falls.

Mr and Mrs B. H. Briscoe spent Sunday in San Angelo as guests of relatives.



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POT-SHOTS FROM McCUALEY

GEORGE DARDEN

More excitement in these parts. Oil was struck in the Nickless well last Saturday and is believed to be paying quantities. Pay was found at around 3,200 feet. Quite a bit of gas too. The well is an offset to the Davidson well a mile and a half west of the town site.

About 150 voters voted in the McCaulley box Saturday. Lyndon Johnson led Coke Stevenson about 15 to one, Collins led Dabney by a wide margin and in the Fisher County judges race Branscum was leading Wilson by a good margin even though Wilson led in the primary at this box.

G. M. Milsap of Post sent \$5 for the McCaulley Cemetery Fund.

Next Monday night in the gymnasium the Stamps-Ozark Quartet will appear sponsored by the cemetery committee.

Four bales of cotton were ginned last week in McCaulley and picking is expected to get started in a big way within the next 10 days.

A light shower fell in McCaulley last Saturday morning and as much as one quarter of an inch was reported three miles northwest of town.

Melvin Hunter has sold many truck loads of watermelons the past month and the melons have been extra good this year on the Hunter farm.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Kemp will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on September 7. All their friends from far and near are invited to an open house reception at their farm home. On Saturday night a basket lunch will be spread near the Kemp home and there will be a general celebration and a big time for all.

Mrs. Pauline Beavers and daughter are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Maberry. Their home is Marshall, Oklahoma.

Mrs. L. B. Miers and daughters from Muleshoe visited relatives in Hamlin and McCaulley last week.

Mrs. N. D. Miers of the Hobbs community and S E Miers of McCaulley visited relatives in Fort Worth and Dallas last week.

Alf Hemphill, the McCaulley laundry man, made a trip to Sweetwater last Saturday.

Attending the Methodist meeting from Hamlin last Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Earl Madden and Mrs. W. H. Pickron.

Young men of draft age may reg-

ister in McCaulley at the post office. R. B. Hennington, postmaster, has been appointed registrar and will take care of our home boys who would have had to travel miles to the county seat had not four places in the county been designated where the young men could register.

Mr. and Mrs. Orian Jarnagan from Lubbock visited Mrs. Jarnagan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fancher, last week.

James Fancher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fancher by this community has joined the Army. James served in the U. S. Navy for 12 years and after two years as a civilian James decided it's the Army from now on.

Thanks to W. L. Jackson, 1733 N. 5th Street, Abilene for a renewal to The Herald.

It appears that at least 90 percent of 1948 cotton will go into the government Pan. In fact the loan price, especially for short staples, is far better than the buyers price.

U. S. Branscum defeated M. T. Wilson for judge of Fisher County in Saturday's run off. The vote was Branscum 1,083 and Wilson 1,049. Branscum is a well known farmer stockman and formerly he taught school in this county.

Dixie Maberry is home after spending the summer in Arizona and attending a school for nursing in that state.

Via the grapevine, we learn that a well will soon spud in on the townsite of McCaulley.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi McCollum, Mary Ann McCollum, Patsy Maberry, Bonie Beth Jones and Margaret Darden attended the commencement exercises at Abilene Christian College last Friday night.

New stair steps have been erected at the McCaulley A F & M hall. Adrian Smith of Sylvester was the contractor.

W. R. Moffett has sold his locker plant in Sylvester to a Roby man and C. C. Farmer of Sylvester sold his residence in Sylvester last week and will move to Roby where he will erect a residence. Guy Mauldin of Sylvester recently sold his garage and filling station to Tom Garland.

Several folks from Sylvester are looking for rent houses in McCaulley and plan to move here for the school term. We welcome all new

comers to our town, and our school.

The Methodist meeting closed last Sunday with Rev. Joe Williams 17-year-old minister doing the preaching.

Large crowds attended all services.

Mrs. Wayne Webb underwent major surgery in the Temple hospital last week and is reported to be doing nicely. Mr. Webb was superintendent of McCaulley Schools for past five years and this year accepted the superintendent job at Cress near Plainview.

The reporter of this column strives to please everybody including the editor, and if your name fails to appear in print its because you haven't let us know about your visitors.

Yang was faced with the necessity of leaving behind a bride of less than a year, and a position in the State department with the ministry of finance where he used his training in agricultural economics.

Understanding the high hopes of China in the field of agriculture, the alert, boyish looking Chinese student has come to the United States and Texas to look further into agricultural economics. His present plans will take him through perhaps two to three years of school work toward a master's degree.

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It is expansive and flat, these plains of yours, and affords quite a good education in agricultural economics, I understand," Yang commented after a brief inspection of the school prior to settling down to final registration and pursuit of his chosen field.

On board with Yang were 180 Chinese students all bound for the United States and school, representing 180 billion dollars Chinese currency. The money market in China today is such an erratic gauge Yang is not certain exactly the amount of American money his passage to the United States is worth in Chinese money, but he feels safe in estimating he invested for over a billion Chinese dollars in travel expenses alone to arrive at college in Texas.

American customs, language and way of life are not completely alien to the newly arrived student for he was educated in an Angl.-Chinese high school and is a graduate also of Fukien Christian University, where he took a BA degree in agricultural economics.

"Getting used to the Texas accent will be his hardest problem, Joe Ma,

friend of Yang and an engineering student at Texas Tech, laughingly predicts Joe and Mrs. Ma have been at Texas Tech for a year.

Yang's choice of Texas Tech for research and graduate study was finally made after a detailed report on educational possibilities in the United States forwarded him by Ma. The two young men attended the same high school, and Joe is Yang's only close friend in the United States. They were separated in China by following different fields in education and by their service. Yang was a second lieutenant in the infantry. He was discharged in 1942, and then started on a four years uninterrupted university course.

REG'LAR' FELLERS**Suppose The Elephant Was Going Elsewhere?**

By Gene Byrnes

**BILLIONS FOR EDUCATION****Chinese Student Enters Texas Tech After Expensive Ride from China**

A billion dollar boat ride and a

train ride from the West coast has

brought to Texas Technological College, Lubbock another foreign student

for graduate study, Yang Chien Sheng.

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Ample Supply of Cotton Pickers Seen In Migration From Rio Grande Valley

Based on supply of cotton harvest hands now working in the Upper Rio Grande Valley, H. B. Randolph, manager of the Texas Employment Commission office at Abilene, said he believes the supply of hands for the coming harvest will not be as limited as had been previously expected.

Randolph said that reports reaching him from the Valley indicate that the need for cotton pickers has been met without undue difficulty so far this season. The cotton harvest is virtually completed in areas around Harlingen and is rapidly approaching completion at Corpus Christi. Activity is well underway in the vicinity of Houston and Austin, with demand for labor so far being met.

Randolph's most recent information from these areas shows the following prices being paid on an average: Victoria, \$2.35 per hundred for picked cotton delivered at the gin; Part Lavaca, the same price; Taylor, Williamson County, \$2.00 per hundred for picking; El Campo, Wharton County, \$2.50 per hundred for picked cotton delivered to the gin, the same price being quoted at Wharton and Palacios, Matagorda County.

In explaining the plans being used by the Texas Employment Commission for the routing of needed workers into areas for the cotton harvest, Randolph said, "All during this year, the commission offices throughout the Valley have organized crews of farm workers who were used in various seasonal work, such as vegetable harvest, packing shed labor, choppers, hoe hands, and cotton pickers. These crews are planning to mi-

grate northward as the harvest progresses and will travel through areas of need as determined by the Employment Commission and to those areas where they have previously worked in the cotton harvest and have agreements with individual farmers to return.

"Throughout the rest of the state, the offices of the Commission have lined up crews of workers who will, and are migrating to areas of need as directed by the Commission. During the last 30 days, there has been a movement of cotton pickers from North and West Texas to parts of the Upper Valley. These workers will return to their home areas as needed."

To facilitate the proper direction of migratory labor to areas of need, Randolph said that labor control stations were, or will be, set up at Abilene, Fort Worth and San Antonio. These control stations obtain information from local Employment Commission offices over the state regarding labor needs and supply of hands who will move, and direct such workers to Commission offices where need for extra laborers exists.

Randolph urged that farmers place orders with his office for workers at least a week before the workers are actually needed. He also requested that farmers give consideration to rotating the crews from one farm to the other after they are established in the community, to assist his office in keeping the workers in the area as long as they can profitably be used.

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TO TEACH IN MIDLAND.

Miss Dorothy Routh, who returned to Hamlin this week after attending the summer session at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, left this week for Midland to resume her position of teacher in the Midland school system.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Thomas spent Monday and Tuesday in Abilene on business.

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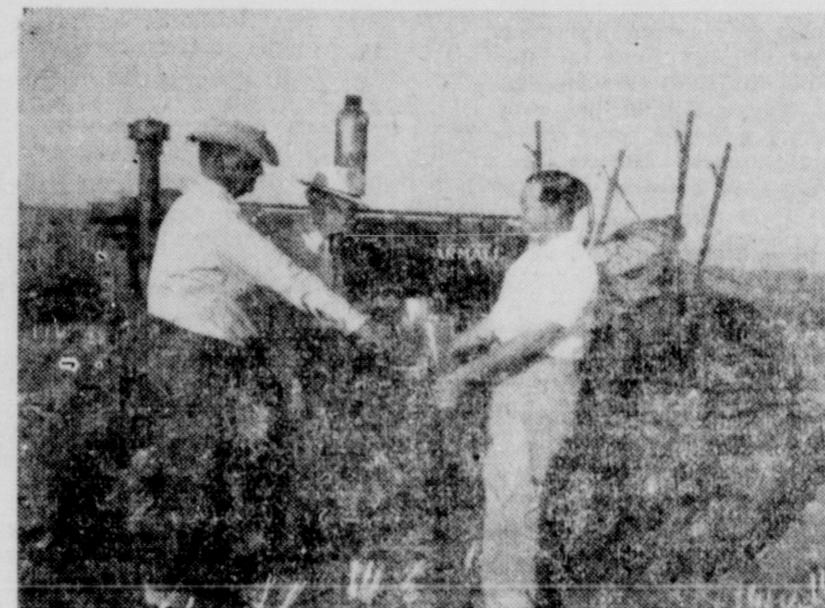
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Maddox Owns Oldest Farmall



Above, left to right, Billie Maddox, RFD 4, Hamlin, and A. J. French of Tuxedo. Maddox is the present owner of the oldest Farmall tractor in this area. The machine was first purchased by French from Penick-Hughes Co., Stamford, in February, 1924, and has been used in production of 25 West Texas crops since that date. The present owner, the seventh, bought the tractor from the Buie Implement Co., Stamford. A. J. Buie, manager of Buie company, is shown presenting cups to Maddox and French.

60,000 4-H Clubbers, FFA and FHO Members to Attend Fair October 16

Featuring the achievement of 4-H Club, Future Farmers of America and Future Homemakers of Texas, the Texas State Fair will be host to 60,000 members of the groups on Saturday, October 16, it was announced this week.

This day has been dedicated to the young men and women of the farms of Texas, and will be set aside to feature their activities and for the awarding of medals.

Headed by James Aston, vice president of the Republic National Bank of Dallas, the rural youths commit-

tee has started preparations to make October 16 the greatest rural youth day in the history of the exposition. Last year 25,000 4-H Club boys and girls, 10,000 Future Farmers and 10,000 Future Homemakers were in Dallas for the special day.

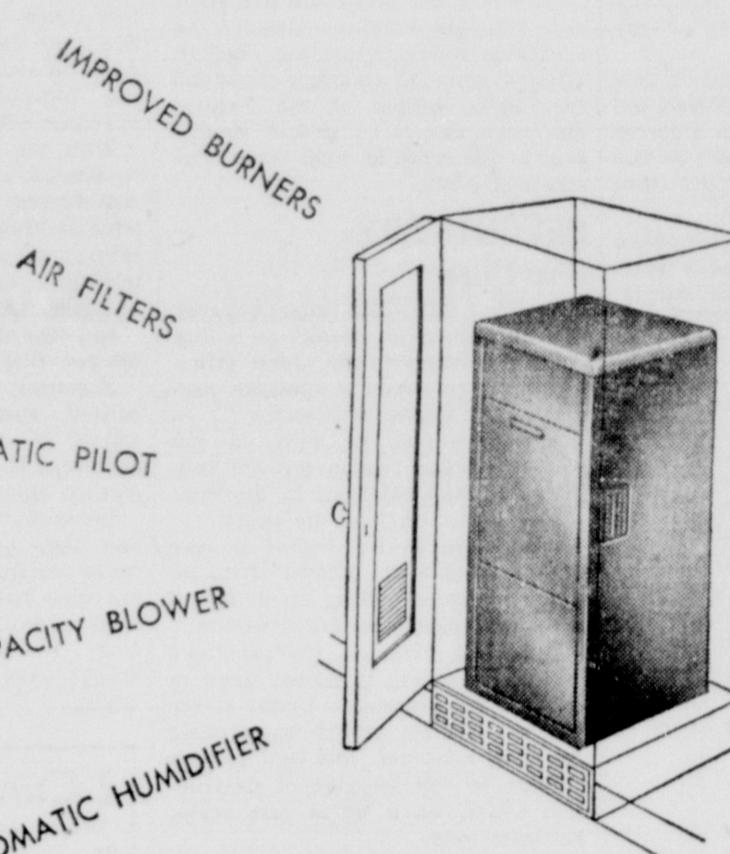
"We are going to increase that attendance by 50 per cent this year," Aston said. "We've set a goal of 32,000 4-H Club members, 14,000 Future Farmers and 14,000 Future Homemakers. Every extension agent, vocational agriculture teacher, and homemaking teacher in the state will be urged to give full support in making the day a success."

Texas Farm Income Is Increased During July

Texas farm cash income reached \$164,918,000 in July, raising 25 per cent above June, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported.

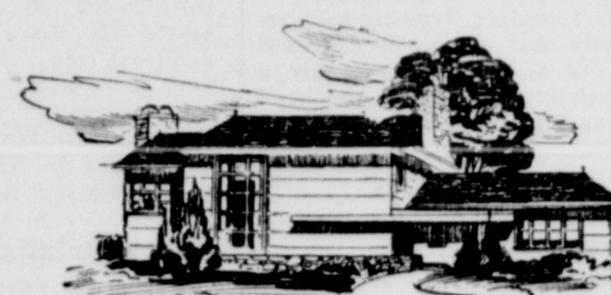
In comparison with July 1947, farm income dropped 26 per cent despite larger income from cotton, wool, hogs and fruit and vegetables.

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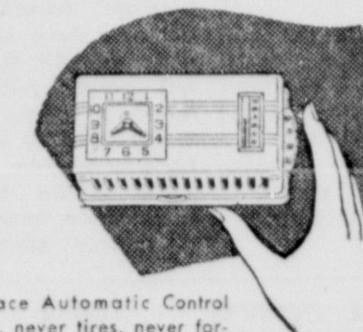
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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

U. S. Registers Cold War Victory; Moscow Talks Headed for Failure; Truman, Congress in Budget Fight

By Bill Schoentgen, WNU Staff Writer

EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysis and not necessarily of this newspaper.

COLD WAR

Villian Revealed

At last something had happened that could and did make people understand what this Russian situation was all about.

It had been pretty difficult going for the world public to perceive the basic truth when it was obscured by confusing circumstances like currency reform in Berlin, control of the German Ruhr, a maze of spies at home and political annihilation of small European nations by Russia.

What it all amounted to, as far as most people were concerned, was a mess of verbal pottage that they wouldn't trade for the comics page any day of the week.

Then it happened. Mrs. Oksana Kosenkina, the Russian school teacher, jumped from a third-story window in the Soviet consulate in New York to achieve the liberty she so desperately sought.

Mikhail Samarin, the other Russian school teacher, was wanted by the Russians but managed to retain his freedom. Refusing the Soviet demand that he return to Russia, he tossed this scallion for the Communists into the propaganda war: "I won't return to death."

And finally, in England Olympic athletes from Czechoslovakia and other Soviet satellite states were steadfastly refusing to return to their home countries after their taste of a free land.

It all added up to the biggest break the western nations have had yet in their propaganda battle with the East.

This was simple, basic, understandable: These people from the land of the Soviets—the schoolteachers and athletes—utterly despised the idea of returning. They simply would not do it.

Thus, it was in the end a few ordinary persons who destroyed the elaborate fabrication which Moscow had constructed to represent to the world the ideal way of life that existed in the Soviet Union.

One Voice of America spokesman said: "This is what we have been waiting for in our war of words. This is something that can be easily understood by people all over the world."

The Communists tried frantically to cover this breach in their curtain by calling it, among other things, an underground conspiracy in the U. S. to wreck any possibility for peace between the two nations.

But the villain's disguise was off now and everyone knew him. Try as they might, the Communists never would be able to explain why two obscure school teachers would seek their freedom so desperately, nor why Russia was so determined to get them back.

PARLEY: Failure

From Moscow came crushing news for all those hoping for peace: The talks between the western democracies and Russia were reported to be on the brink of failure.

Barring a last-minute miracle in the conferences between the U. S., England, France and Russia, the East-West stalemate would continue, along with the Soviet blockade of Berlin.

It was reported that the western powers were getting ready to stay in Berlin under conditions of economic siege, planning to maintain and enlarge the air lift to supply the 2.5 million persons in their sectors.

There was, however, one slim chance that utter failure could be avoided. The three western ambassadors were scheduled for a final talk with Premier Stalin, and it was a possibility that the negotiations might be rescued. But the odds against agreement stood at about five to one, officials said.

If the conference ended in the anticipated failure, it was thought that the Big Four governments would try to conceal the extent of the fiasco from the public in order to avoid the even greater degeneration of East-West relationships that undoubtedly would result if everyone knew just how hopeless the case was.

However, if the Moscow talks did break up in futility it would not mean necessarily that all similar negotiations would be abandoned. It would mean that any further effort to reopen them would be delayed until at least next spring—possibly March—after the election and inauguration.

WHAT'LL YA HAVE, GENTS?**How About 55 Gallons of Black Coffee?**

Coffee and milk, by a wide margin, remain the favorite beverages of American drinkers who will down nearly eight billion gallons of coffee and nearly seven billion gallons of milk in 1948.

The report on the national liquid intake, compiled by the family economics bureau of Northwestern National Life Insurance company, also estimates that about 2.7 bil-

BUDGET: Unbalanced

Will there be a surplus or deficit in the government's budget at the end of this fiscal year?

It was a question good for a lot of politics' haymaking, and both President Truman and his Republican opponents in congress went to work with a will.

Mr. Truman's forecast was that the government would be 1.5 billion dollars in the red next June.

In his mid-year budget report he blamed the Republicans' "ill-timed" five-billion-dollar tax cut for putting the nation back in the hole.

Stricken with horror, GOP lawmakers rapped back sharply: Far from harboring a deficit, they said, the treasury will close its books next June with a surplus of between five and six billion dollars.

The President had jugged figures for political campaign effect, the Republicans charged bitterly.

"Another of the weird distortions which are coming from the White House while its occupant is a nervous candidate for re-election," commented Sen. Styles Bridges (Rep., N. H.) mordaciously.

Mr. Truman had said that federal expenditures this year would hit 42 billion dollars, while Republicans claim that actual expenses will total 38 billion.

They charged, too, that the President had figured the national income 3.4 billion dollars too low for the year.

Just who was right in the matter, if anyone, was impossible to say. The entire affair had many of the characteristics of the kind of tempest in a teapot that is a run-of-the-mill event in an election year.

Actually, even if President Truman's estimate turns out to be the correct one, the books still will show an "adjusted surplus," despite the 1.5-billion-dollar operating deficit.

That is because congress provided that three billion of the surplus last year should be shifted to this year's accounts to help meet for aid costs.

PSYCHIATRY: War Cure

How can the world prevent wars? Use of psychiatry would be a big help, according to Dr. John Milne Murray, professor of clinical psychiatry at Boston university.

A psychiatrist, he said, is one who seeks the reason for the failure of human relations in the individual rather than in the mass.

"But," he asked, "what is war except a mass breakdown of inadequate relations ending up in a tremendous burst of self-destruction?"

Take, for instance, the reactions of a child trying to adjust itself to a harsh environment. Under stress the child may revert to archaic forms of behavior, and that is very similar to the impulse of destruction which, on a world-wide scale, becomes war.

Therefore, knowledge of mass human reactions should be employed to abolish war, Dr. Murray concluded.

Actually, it's all very simple. If people didn't act the way they do they wouldn't have to fight each other. The trick is to make them understand that.

Out of the Park

In some dimly seen future time baseball record books might fall into dust, but there will be those who still talk of Babe Ruth. And among kids the legend of the Babe might grow into this: Every baseball he ever hit he hit for a home run. And some might smile at the exaggeration but say nothing because it will be a magnificent story.

Paper Work**New Farm Program**

IN SOFAR as the so-called long-range farm program adopted by the 80th congress is concerned, farmers, ranchers and truckers can forget it until about January 1, 1950, or thereafter. For the 1948-1949 crop will not be affected by the new act. These crops still will be largely marketed under the present support price system with a few changes.

The important change is that prices received by cooperating producers of the mandatory Steagall commodities, including Irish potatoes harvested before January 1, 1949, milk and its products, hogs, chickens and eggs marketed before

Despite widespread support for ratification of the international wheat agreement, the special session denied positive action, preferring, leaders said, to wait until the new 81st congress convenes next January. The agreement would have assured U. S. wheat growers 185 million bushel export market for five years at guaranteed graduated scale of prices.

Joining farm organizations in pressing for approval were Sen. Arthur Vandenberg and Sen. Alben W. Barkley.

January 1, 1950, are to be supported at 90 per cent of parity. In other words, on these commodities the parity price cannot go over 90 per cent as under the old law.

On other mandatory Steagall commodities, including flaxseed, soybeans, dry edible beans, dry field peas, American-Egyptian cotton, potatoes of the 1949 crop, sweet potatoes and turkeys marketed before January 1, 1949, prices are to be supported at not less than 60 per cent of the parity price or more than the 1948 support level. So on these commodities the parity price as compared to the old law can drop from not less than 90 per cent to not less than 60 per cent.

With the remaining men closing it, Klinger's version went, Masaryk was forced closer and closer to the window. Then, the men either threw him out the window or, overwhelmed by fear, Masaryk flung himself out.

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It was pointed out in debate that the early and intermediate potato crops could not be shipped abroad as food under the European recovery program because of the perishable factor. The late potato crop, much of it from northern states, can be shipped but even if sufficient refrigerated ships could be obtained for shipment there is insufficient cold storage in Europe to keep them once they arrive there.

Consequently the government sells them to distillers, to millers, to farmers for feed, to all sorts of institutions and takes a heavy loss.

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SENATOR TRUMAN said recently that a woman president of the U. S. "was not only a possibility, but a probability" some day. At present the Constitution prohibits a woman from becoming president. True or false?

SENATOR O'MAHONEY: "I understand the senator to say that he thought the President had the power to enforce sound anti-inflationary policies and one of the powers which he mentioned was the power to abandon government bonds in the market and let them go down in value. Does the senator from Ohio recommend that policy?"

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The FICTION Corner

ANYTHING FOR A FRIEND

By MARJORIE ABBOTT

SAM looked uncomfortable as he stood with his large feet planted awkwardly on Harriet Sweet's oriental rug. His violin was tucked under one arm, and with his free hand he pushed a thick lock of hair away from his dark, ugly face.

"All right, Sam, let's try it again," said Harriet. She sat straight-backed on the piano bench and played the introduction to "Traumerei" on the mahogany grand. Her gray head kept time to the music with lively little nods.

"Yes, ma'am," said Sam. His voice was changing. Every move he made was done in an agony of self-consciousness. He brought his violin up to his chin, and then forgot himself as he brought the rich tones to life beneath his fingers.

Harriet sighed as the last note became stilled. "That was splendid, Sam," she said. "I haven't another pupil as talented as you are."

A light shone briefly in his dark eyes, and then he blushed and moistened his lips.

Harriet wondered sometimes why she wanted so much to win this boy's friendship. He was unattractive. He had a last name she couldn't begin to pronounce. It was partly the longing of a lonely, childless woman, she supposed, for someone to mother.

The music should have formed a bond between them. But up to now she felt she was losing the battle to pierce his shyness and win Sam's friendship. For six months he had come to her for his weekly lesson, but although she had tried in every way she knew to get next to the boy, she had failed.

"I have no friends," he had told her once bluntly, when she had questioned him, and she had an aching picture of him, working hard after school to earn money to help out at home with his brothers and sisters.

moment his shyness and awkwardness were gone.

"I played your violin all week," he said feverishly. "It was smooth as oil or something. Gee, it was swell!" His eyes were blazing, and his dark face was no longer ugly.

"Look, Mrs. Sweet, I can get 50 bucks from my uncle. I'd work to pay it back to him."

"Oh, Sam," said Harriet, "Why?"

"My kid brother busted my violin. This one is borrowed from my old man's sister just for tonight. I'm going to earn another fiddle. It will take a while. They have them at Brothers' music store for 15 bucks. As soon as I get it I'll be back."

It was the longest speech he had ever made.

Sam cleared his throat and wiped his arm across his sweating forehead.

"Mrs. Sweet, I'm going to stop taking lessons," he said.

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Sam reached over the bronze bust of Beethoven on top of the piano and took her own violin lovingly from its alligator case.

"There's no need of missing those lessons, Sam," she said. "You may use my violin as long as you need one." She tried not to think about the kid brother who busted violins. This one had cost her a thousand dollars.

Sam's face was shining. "Gee, Mrs. Sweet. Gee! I'll make it right with you," he added hastily.

"I know you'll take good care of it."

"Oh, yes, ma'am."

She followed up her advantage.

"I wish you'd always try to think of me as your friend, Sam. I like you very much."

He looked down at the floor and shifted from one foot to the other.

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HARRIET thought of Sam often in the following week. She thought of his large, strong hands that would bring heartbreakingly

sweet melodies out of her violin. She wondered if the boy would like the incredibly rich, full tone of the instrument.

She didn't see him again till the following week. As he came in he was filled with a strange restlessness that he couldn't control.

"Last week you said that you were my friend."

"Why yes, Sam."

"There's something important I've got to ask you."

This was the moment she had been hoping for, in all her months of knowing Sam.

"I'll do anything I can for you, Sam," she said quietly.

He stood there facing her, almost defiant in his earnestness. For the

he saw the look of surprise on her face. His voice cracked as he went on.

"Gosh, I know it probably cost you some dough. I'd even pay 75 bucks for it."

She was staring at him incredulously. There was no sound in the room but the slow ticking of the grandfather clock.

He flushed and looked down at the floor. His fingers were restless on his plaid cap. In a sudden agony of embarrassment, he thrust his hands behind his head.

"You think it's an O. K. fiddle too," he said. "I suppose I shouldn't be asking you for it. Even if you are my friend."

She hesitated only a moment before



She had an aching picture of him, working hard after school to earn money to help out at home with his brothers and sisters.

fore she walked toward him and placed her small, blue-veined hand lightly on his arm.

"Yes, Sam. I am a little attached to the instrument. But if you think you can raise 50 dollars, the violin is yours. For a moment I was shocked, because you see, 50 dollars is quite a bit of money to take. Especially from a friend."

Geraldine Brooks, who was elevated from feature player to stardom opposite Dana Clark in "Wearers' Embraceable You," found the role pretty soft—as the victim of a traffic accident she played half her scenes in bed. But Barbara Stanwyck, in Paramount's "Sorry, Wrong Number," played all her scenes in bed, and said it was the hardest acting job she ever had done!

Rosemary DeCamp, of the air's "Dr. Christian" and the screen's "Look for the Silver Lining," keeps her three daughters quiet at the table by serving meals on a glass table, through which, fascinated, the children can watch their feet.

After desiring to be in a Leo McCarey picture for years, Ann Sheridan realized her wish in "Good Sam." It's being booked for Radio City Music hall, also a break as it is the first time one of her pictures has been shown there.

After Claire Trevor's knees were badly hurt in an auto accident Lewis Foster stayed up all night, writing a fall downstairs into the script of "The Lucky Stiff," thus giving Brian Donlevy lines kidding her about her limp.

Often, David," she called to a small boy who went past us as we wandered into the grounds. "Your mother has another child, hasn't she?"

Child Is Ashamed

"Yep," he answered, not meeting her look. The whole story was there—the shame and bewilderment in a nine-year-old's heart when he was sent away. Oh, of course, sent way to sufficient meals, a good bed, honest, kindly care safety. But they kept little Sharon and they sent him away. His head hung, he looked fixedly at a pulley he had in his hand. "That's all?" he asked thickly.

There's another home for boys near our city. I went there, heart-sick, yet determined to know what percentage of these little fellows had parents, too. And again it was the same story.

Old Clothes Fit Well

We wore the discarded clothes our friends gave us and congratulated ourselves that they looked better on us. We scrimped, we went without things, we had no butcher bill for months because we had no meat. We suffered, of course, when a small boy smashed a window or a small girl played hookey.

But there never was a moment in all these years when we two older ones could have said to a little sister or brother,

"We are sending you to the loneliness, the unlovedness, the dreary vague hours that no institution can spare children."

We stuck together 45 years ago and we are together still.

What are we made of, we Americans, that we don't dare sacrifice, plan, contrive and work to keep our homes and our children together? We don't know our own power or we would know that if social conditions aren't right for us, if Dad's salary is inadequate and home hours and obligations too heavy to leave room for working hours, then we can change the conditions.

We don't have to beg, we can dictate, even if it means that shops are open only between 11 and 4 every day or that one mother in a group takes care of all small children two days a week and works four. For the boys' sake and for America's sake, let's solve this problem some other way.

Spare the Rod

CHICAGO. — Any parent who spans his child has a spanking coming himself, in the opinion of Dr. Rudolf Dreikurs, a Chicago psychiatrist.

Childhood whippings, the doctor explained, are undesirable because they leave a lifetime mark upon the victim's character.

If a "servile, timidous" adult is at the same time "cringing and crafty," the chances are that he received a paddling now and then as a child himself, the doctor said.

Janet Waldo, the lead in NBC's "Corliss Archer," lived in her Hollywood apartment for a few months with only a television set and an ironing board in her living room. Finally Dinah Shore and George Montgomery delivered her new furniture, the only set of its kind, specially made from plans she designed with them at their little furniture factory.

Jerry Colonna has presented "Atomic" to orphans at the Avondale Children's home in Ohio. "Atomic" is the offspring of the donkey Jerry received from Ralph Edwards on a "Truth or Consequences" program.

ODDS AND ENDS—The demand for tickets to Horace Heidi's talent hunt program is so terrific that it looks as if the three-quarter finals would be moved from NBC to Hollywood Bowl.

Wanda Hendrix, 19, says she will retire when comparatively young:

"I don't want to hang on until she has to play character roles... Bette Davis says she will start outlining her autobiography while taking a four-month vacation on her New Hampshire farm this fall and winter; she has planned to write it for a long time... Sponsor of "Stop the Music" will take on "The Original Amateur Hour" this fall."

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BREAD CAST UPON THE WATERS...**Hamlinites Open Hearts and Purse
To Distressed People; Fund Urged**

By Mrs. M. C. Wilson

Hamlin residents have opened their hearts and their purses to many people within the past few weeks . . . people who were distressed and in dire need, and as a result several persons have gone from our little city with the reassurance that the milk of human kindness still flows within the breasts of West Texans.

Two of the outstanding cases which have come to the attention of the Chamber of Commerce during the past few weeks are related below, and in each instance was only a small task to raise sufficient funds to take care of necessities and start the families on their way.

A family was enroute from Muleshoe to Taylor and their route led them through Hamlin. There was a father, a mother, and six children ages two to 14 years.

The baby was ill. The family had run out of money. They had eaten all of their meager supply of food and their car was out of gasoline and oil.

The father, a worried man with deeply-lined face, and shoulders stooped from the load he had carried, appealed to the Red Cross at the Chamber of Commerce.

With in an hour the Home Service Chairman had rounded up local citizens, including the City Marshal, who chipped in to relieve the distress of the travelers. The baby was taken to a doctor's office for treatment, their food supply was replenished and their car filled with gasoline and oil.

The family was on its way to Taylor to pull bulls.

A second family of six had gone from their home in Baton Rouge, Louisiana to a small town in Utah where a married son was gravely ill.

The youth died shortly after his parents and brothers had arrived.

**West Texas Fair
Slated to Open
September 27**

D. H. Jeffries, president of the West Texas Fair Association, said this week that it is planned to present one of the largest community exhibits in the history of the exposition, when it opens in Abilene the week of September 27.

Most of the communities in the West Texas area will be represented, and it is estimated that attendance at the 1948 fair will reach 100,000 or more.

Any West Texas community or civic organization is eligible to enter an exhibit of the products produced or made in the vicinity. Exhibits will be judged on quality, attractiveness, originality and neatness.

In addition to honor prizes, premiums in cash will range from \$10 to \$100, Jeffries said.

**WANTED!
HATCHING EGGS**

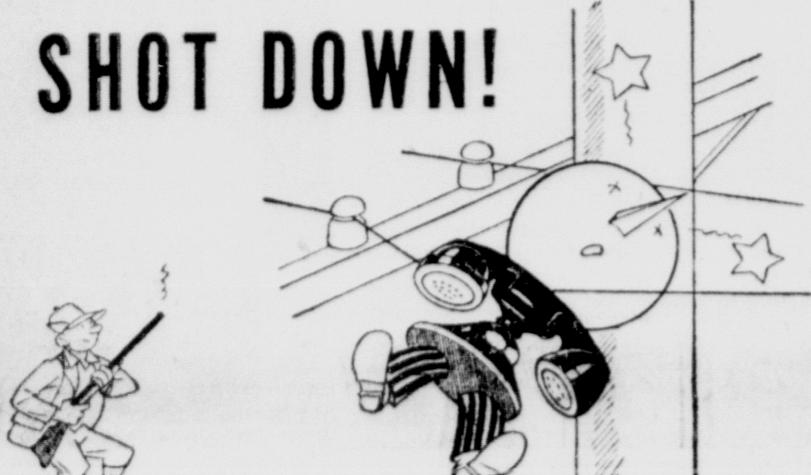
WHITE LEGHORNS, NEW HAMPSHIRE REDS
RHODE ISLAND REDS

See J. B. DANIEL at

DANIEL POULTRY FARM

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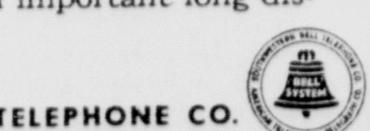
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One shot may break an important long distance wire.

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The family buried the boy, paying out almost all the money they possessed for burial expenses.

They started back to Louisiana with the two small children of their son, but enroute the father became ill and an emergency operation was necessary. This completely exhausted their resources.

They were tired, hungry and troubled when they arrived here utterly unable to continue their trip.

The Red Cross came to the rescue of the stranded strangers and in a short time sufficient money was raised to send them on their way.

In gratitude for the charitable deeds of Hamlinites the father said he would send the money back as soon as possible.

It was suggested this week that a permanent fund be raised in Hamlin to take care of such emergency cases.

**Internal Revenue
Collections Soar
In Texas in June**

Texans paid more than \$125,900.00 in federal revenue collections in June, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported this week to The Times.

Compared to June, 1947 this amount is an increase of 28 per cent. Collections for the fiscal year of 1947-48 (July 1 to June 30) totaled \$1,288,398,673, stepping up 19 per cent above the 1946-47 fiscal year.

Employment taxes almost tripled their year-ago levels, while withholding taxes were 51 per cent below June, 1947. Income taxes from corporations and persons not on withholding status climbed 29 per cent above last year's collections.

A 33 per cent increase over June, 1947, was reported by District 5 (South Texas). Income taxes and employment taxes showed gains of 36 per cent and 13 per cent, respectively. Withholding taxes sagged 62 per cent from a year earlier.

In District 2 (North Texas) collections were 22 per cent above June, 1947. Collections of employment taxes more than doubled their year-ago mark; income taxes gained 20 per cent; and withholding taxes, one per cent.

**Katy Earnings Reach
New High for Year**

Earnings of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas railroad for the current year to July 31, soared nearly seven million dollars over the same period in 1947.

Gross income of the road for the seven months of 1947 were \$38,399,000 as compared with \$45,172,000 for the same period of 1946. Net income after all taxes and operating expenses had been paid, was reported as \$1,434,000 for 1947 and \$2,560,000 for 1946.



A group of photographic experts rated this shot of a "laughing" horse one of the most humorous pictures of the year during the recent Graflex Photo Contest. The photographer, Alfred Regan, 17-year-old high school student, has been taking pictures only two years.

**Cotton Use Declined
In Texas During July**

Cotton consumption in Texas fell 12 per cent in July to 11,936 running bales the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported.

Compared to July 1947, cotton consumption slid eight per cent.

Consumption of cotton linters, totaling 2,236 running bales in July climbed 48 per cent above June levels, but fell four per cent from a year earlier.

Cotton spinning activity stepped up fractionally above June to advance four per cent above July 1947.

Total spindle hours dropped 26 per cent from June, and 13 per cent in the year's time.

LOOK HERE you can find all your office needs in Hamlin.—See The Herald today.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Phillips and children, Rodney and Benson Jr and Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Ewing and children, Clinton and Erma Ruth, have returned from a vacation trip spent at Eagle Nest Lake and Red River canyon in northern New Mexico.

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LIGHT DRAFT
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BUIE'S
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We're ready for it!**

"Bring on the material, we're ready for it," says Reddy Kilowatt and his fellow workers. "We are pushing the work on our Company's \$18,000,000 construction program to supply more and better electric service to more and more West Texas homes, farms, and industries."

Yes, Reddy, thanks to the West Texas Utilities Company's policy of anticipating future needs, most of the material you need to keep the construction program rolling is on hand or scheduled for delivery as needed. In fact, much of the material to be used in this construction program was ordered nearly two years ago! However, due to the continuing critical shortages of heavy electrical equipment and wire, deliveries are just now being made on materials ordered as early as September, 1946.

Eighteen million dollars! Each of those dollars, Reddy, is a vote of confidence in the growth and development of West Texas.

**West Texas Utilities
Company**

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hartgraves and son are guests of relatives in Alto this week. They left for Alto last Saturday.

Everett Townley and Ben Townley spent Monday in Dallas on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Steed and Miss Morjorie Steed visited Mr. and Mrs. Ovid Lawlis and sons, Jimmie and David, in Rochester Sunday. Mr. Lawlis is manager of a gin at Rochester.

IN CALLEN HOSPITAL
The following Hamlin people received treatment in the Callen Hospital in Raton last week: Raymond Renfro, Gerald Dan Renfro, Louise Snapp and Randy Brown.

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SEPTEMBER 1!**

BE READY FOR GOOD HUNTING . . .

You won't want to miss a single day of the fall hunting season . . . and you won't MISS if you use the right kind of equipment.

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AUTO LOANS—On your car or to buy a new car—Hamlin Motor Company.

Mrs. Minnie McNeely. 42-tfc

FOR RENT—Desirable bedroom, private entrance, adjoining bath—Phone 354-W. 1c

FOR RENT—Magnetic vacuum clearer, all attachments, \$1 per day.—White Auto Store. 3tfc

FOR SALE—VFW Club House out at the lake—See Clifford Reynolds Sr., Lovell Stell or Charles Gardner. 32-tfc

FOR SALE—Sheet iron warehouse, 20 x 32 feet wall; well built, to be moved.—W. L. Boyd. 42-tfc

FOR SALE—Feed; milo sacked in 100 lb bags \$2.15 per cwt. McBride & Johnson. 41-4p

FOR SALE—House 12 x 24, lot 75 x 140. Price \$750.—R. I. Smith, Gen. Del. Hamlin. 43-2p

FOR SALE—or trade, worth the money, 1934 Chevrolet truck, grain box and cotton frame. Truck in good condition, tires fair to good. If interested see J. J. Crawford at Katy depot. 44-2p

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EVERY STUDENT NEEDS a Felco zipper case. We have just received a new shipment of brown cases, with ring binders, to fit your note book work; price only \$4—The Hamlin Herald. tfc

CLEAN APPLES and pears for fresh-eating, canning preserves and sauce. Cut that grocery bill with this cheap fresh fruit. Delicious, Jonathons, etc. Visit us.—Shanks Apple Orchards, ½ mile north of Clyde, Largest in Texas. 42-4p

For Rent

ONE EXTRA Good old Thor (Electric) washer, wringer works and so does motor. This is a give away at \$30.—King's Supply. 1c

FOR RENT—Four-room house with bath, city water and lights.—C. E. Watson. 41-3p

DOUBLE YOUR PROFITS with O. I. C. fastest-growing hogs. Whitest, cleanest, heaviest, Purebred pigs, \$20—bred gilts, \$75; young boars, \$50—Shanks Hog Farm, Clyde. 42-4p

Miscellaneous

AUTO LOANS—On your car or to buy a new car.—Hamlin Motor Company. 50-tfc

WANT To Buy clean rags no buttons and No Khanki 12c per pound.—Hamlin Motor Co. 32-tfc

CARD OF THANKS—We take this method of thanking our friends and neighbors for the help, kind deeds and sympathy shown us in the death of our beloved son, James C. Tate.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Tate, Mrs. James C. Tate, Mr. and Mrs. R. Y. Cloud, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Burleson.

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LOST—Billfold in or around Ferguson Theater. Finder keep money and return Billfold to B. O. Bell, Box 415, Hamlin. 44-4p

Real Estate for Sale

HOUSE FOR SALE—One block south of grammar school—See Esther Hastings. 43-2p

FOR SALE—Five room house and 50 x 140; two porches on Main street close to town in Hamlin.—See Oran B. Teague, five miles south Stamford at New Hope. 44-2p

SHOP THE Herald classified way, it pays both in helping you sell and buy your goods.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

Coke Party Given for Homemaking Class

Preaching no creed or dogma, yet I count my faithful followers by millions. Having no tongue, yet I speak a universal language which all mankind understands.

Born of the love of humanity, I was reared with but one purpose: to serve mankind; serving one as I serve all, whether the king on his throne, the beggar on the street, the sufferer, the outcast, or the waif.

I minister to those who are in distress, and to each I give my best—for I am dedicated to love and service and friendliness.

I carry balm to the sick, hope to the hopeless, cheer to the cheerless, rest to the weary and courage to the faltering.

I welcome the dawn of each New Year; I herald the anniversary of the birth of the Prince of Peace; I mark the recurrence of the glad morning of Resurrection; I bring joy to the hearts of millions of Mothers who have journeyed down into the valley of the shadow that others might live.

I mark happy milestones on the journey of life; I unite humanity in the bonds of friendship; I make new friends and keep old friends from forgetting.

I go where no other messenger can enter, reaching the very hearts of those to whom I am sent: creating good-will and friendliness, scattering sunshine, bringing warmth, comfort, peace.

For me, no road is too long, no journey too arduous and neither snow nor rain nor heat nor night stays me from the swift completion of my appointed task.

I AM THE GREETING CARD.

Yours for service at,

The Book Shop

Phone 63

Secret Pal Gifts Are Exchanged at Meeting

As a climax to the summer work of the 35 high school girls who completed their projects in homemaking a coke party was given in the High School Homemaking Department Wednesday morning, August 25.

Among activities of the group was a general cleaning and varnishing of the department to have it ready for the approaching school term. Many members of the department attended the summer camp at Buffalo Gap June 21-23, where learning to swim was the featured program.

Those who completed projects are Billie Newland, Lou Dan Branscum, Juanita Branscum, Joanne Johnson, Frankie Sue Madden, Beanie Bowman, Sarah Ann Johnson, Nellie Koonce, Juanita Early and Bennie Elkins.

Guy Nell Stephens, Donna Gayle Miller, Layton Stewart, Wilma Rhett, Kay Bassire, Patsy Parker, Joy Maynard, Patricia Rimmer, Gwenwynn Norris, Oleta Maynard, Betty Jaye Ray, Joyce Dunn, Dorothy Fay Altum and Nita Green.

Louise May, Freida Tollison, Doris Rodgers, Oleta Kite, Patsy Brown, Ruth Brown, Marjorie Hallmark, Rose Brady, Grace Bostick, Bobbie Barbara Rodgers and Oleta Fay Meeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jenkins and sons of Sundown were guests of Mrs. Jenkins' mother, Mrs. Lola Harbert, Present for the occasion were:

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Harbert of Knox City and their daughter, Peggy Ann of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harbert and baby, of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Carter and children, Joe Wayne and Meta June of Hamlin; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Richardson of Sundown; Mr. and Mrs. John Jenkins and sons, Jimmy and Jarrell of Sundown and Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hart and sons, Guy and Tommy of Lubbock.

George Malouf spent Sunday and Monday in Lubbock as a guest of relatives.

TRY THE Herald want ads; for they sell your old, useable things

Better Facilities for Photo Offered by Nell

Offering better facilities for the making of photographs, Miss Nell Steele, owner of Nell's Studio, announced that her studio has been completely remodeled.

Located one and one-half blocks west of the Farmers & Merchants National Bank, the studio was opened by Miss Steele last April.

Patrons of the studio now will find, instead of the one large room, a comfortable reception room, a well equipped "shooting" room, and two dark rooms and a room for developing.

Refreshments were served to: Mrs. Francis Scott, Mrs. Susie Tabb, Mrs. Lina Scott, Mrs. Florence Teague, Mrs. Zada Garrett, Mrs. Jessie Kelly, Mrs. Dorothy Joens, Mrs. Leona Hudson and Mrs. H. L. Hewitt of Stamford.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Jessie Kelly, September 6.

Harbert Family Meets For Annual Reunion

A reunion of the family of Mrs. Lola Harbert was held last week in the McKinsey Park in Lubbock.

Present for the occasion were:

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FIRST AID to the
AILING HOUSE

by Roger C. Whitman

QUESTION: How should plaster walls that show dampness through the wallpaper be treated? Some say that using black asphaltum on the wall would waterproof it. But how will wallpaper be over this material? Aluminum paint is said to be good for sealing the wall. But will wallpaper hold over this?

ANSWER: I would not advise using black asphaltum for this purpose. Your wallpaper may be pulpy and absorbent, and probably the plaster also absorbs and holds much of the dampness from the air. Before repapering, and after removing the present paper, try the effect of painting the walls with good aluminum paint. Let this dry, apply a glue size, and then hang a washable type of wallpaper or an oilcloth type of wall covering. If there is excessive moisture in the air of your house, try to locate the cause.

QUESTION: There is a "ring" in the ceiling where some patching had been done. Will this correct itself if the ceiling is repapered after a lapse of several months?

ANSWER: It is possible that the plaster may have disintegrated from excessive dampness or leakage, and the discoloration should be examined by a plasterer and taken care of before paper is hung. When the patching was done, it may be that not enough plaster was cut out, and a damaged area still remains.

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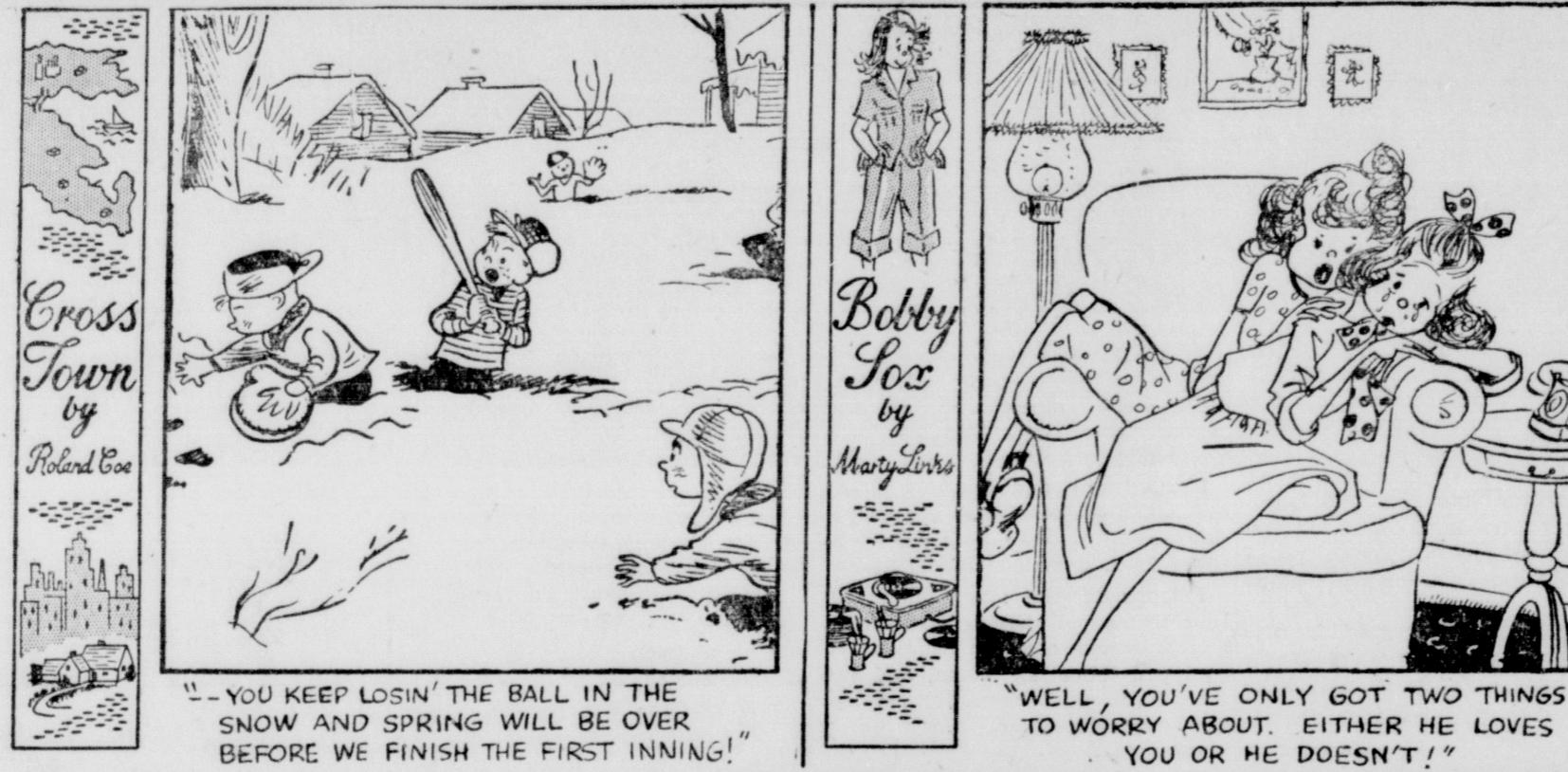
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BackacheMay Warn of Disordered
Kidney Action

Modern life with its hurry and worry, irregular habits, improper eating and drinking—it's risk of exposure and infections—throws heavy strain on the kidneys who are apt to become over-taxed and fail to filter excess and other impurities from the life-giving blood.

You may suffer nagging backache, headache, drowsiness, sleepless nights, leg pains, swelling feet, constantly tired, nervous, all worn out. Other signs of kidney or bladder disorder are sometimes burning, scanty or too frequent urination.

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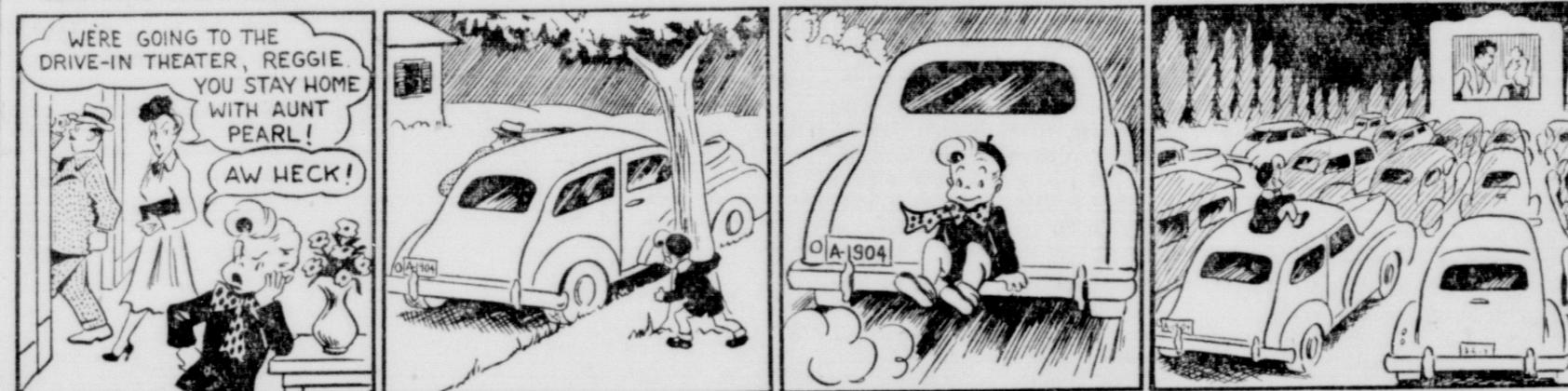
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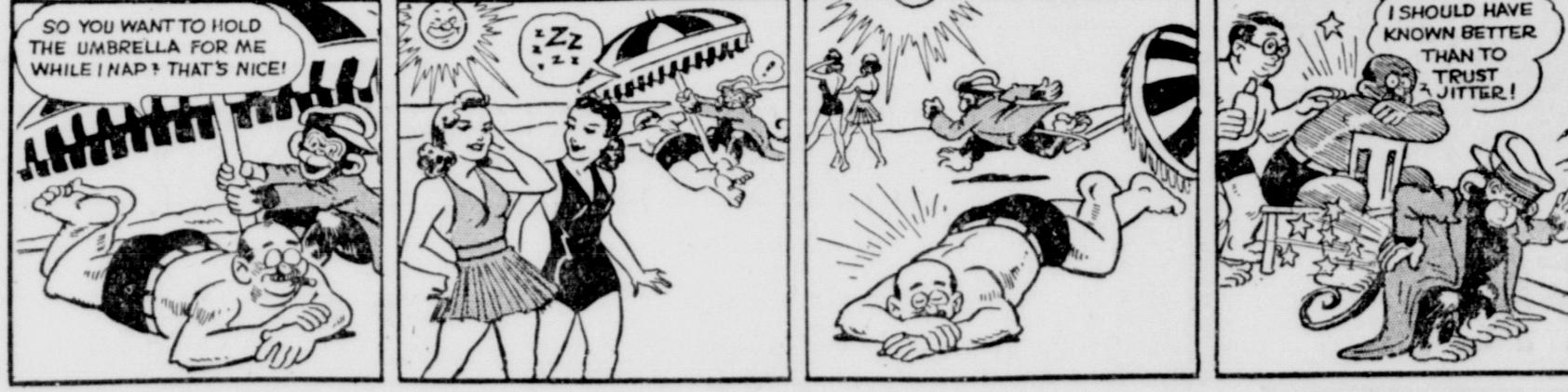
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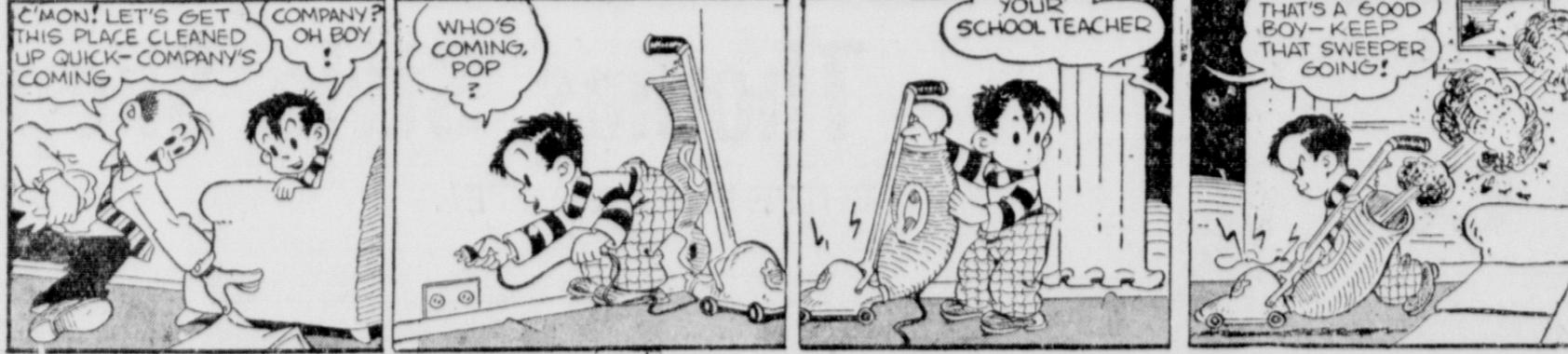
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ABOUT OUR PRESIDENTS

PRESIDENT TRUMAN has the unique distinction of having approved several bills which he had signed as presiding officer of the senate. He vetoed a private bill as President of the United States which he had signed as president of the senate when he was vice president.

PRESIDENT MARTIN VAN BUREN entered the White House with four motherless sons.

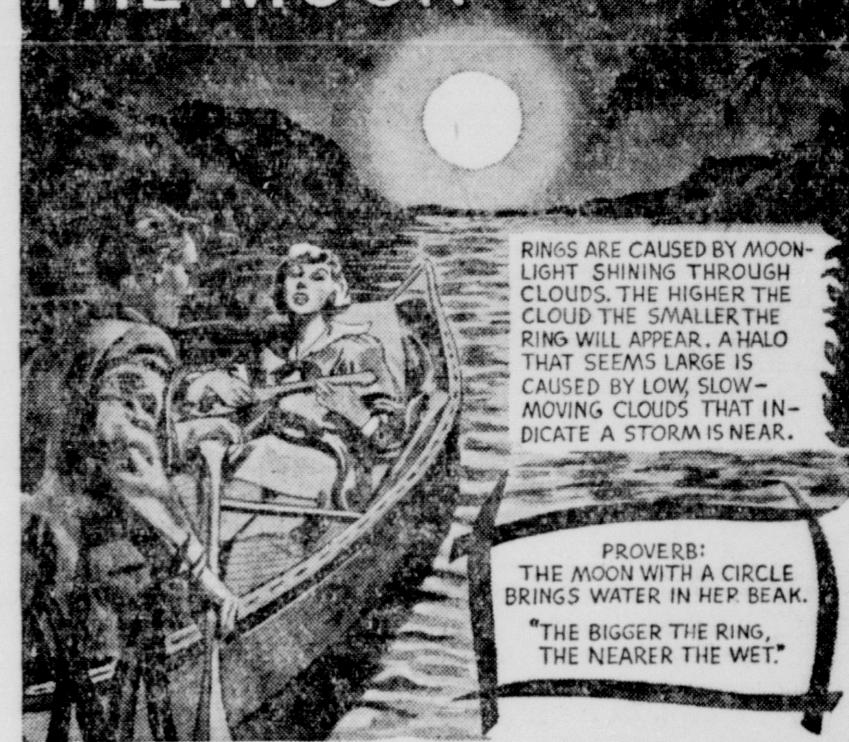
ONE OF OUR PRESIDENTS, George Washington, was a farmer. Twenty-two were lawyers, two were army officers, two were in politics, one was a teacher, one a publisher, one was a mining engineer and one a merchant.

today

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by Carl Starr

RINGS AROUND
THE MOON

WHY WE SAY

by STAN J. COLLINS & L. J. SLAWSON



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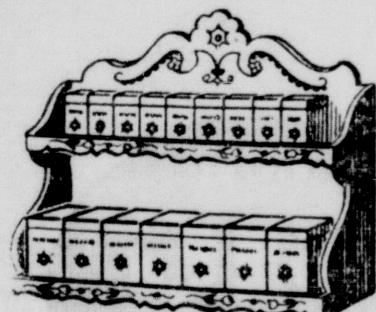
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**Gay Decorated Shelf
Can Be Easily Made**



SCRIPTURE: Acts 18:1-3, 18:26; Romans 16:3-5a; I Corinthians 16:19. II Timothy 4:19. DEVOTIONAL READING: I Corinthians 12:4-11.

Home Team

Lesson for September 5, 1948

HUSBAND AND WIFE: Team or tug-of-war? In times when more and more homes are splitting apart, it is refreshing to read the story of one home that stuck together. We do not know whether these two ever had children; no doubt their home was happier if they had. But we do know their names. No one who ever spoke of them mentioned one without the other. You could not think of Aquila without thinking of his wife Priscilla (or Prisca for short), or vice versa. They were displaced persons, but that did not keep them down.

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Family Trade Union

LIKE ALL JEWS of that time, they had a specialty, a trade they had learned. In this case someone had taught Prisca the same trade (or did she learn it from her husband?), so the two of them formed a sort of trade union. They were tentmakers, working not only in heavy tent-cloth but in the tanned skins of which many tents in that time were made.

Their home was a workshop, their hands were bent by long use of hard tools, very likely they initiated their produce. P & A tents were good tents. Their business was good, for we know they always had room for another guest, for another hand at the workbench. That was one thing helping their marriage to stick.

How many husbands and wives today are working teams? One reason why divorces are more common in cities than on farms is that the city man and his wife seldom have any work in common, while a farmer and his wife are a working team in which each needs the other to succeed. Find some work you can share, even if it is washing the dishes, and you have something to help you hold together through the years.

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More Than Meals

ANOTHER bond that held these together was their hospitality. They had a long list of friends, some of them distinguished. We know about Paul and Apollos and we hear of many others. But when Apollos stayed at their house, he was getting more than meals.

If you don't do more for a guest than feed him, he might as well be at a restaurant. If you don't do more than amuse him, he might as well be at the movies. What those two did for Apollos was to give him ideas, bigger ideas, truer and better than he had ever had, about the Christian faith. No doubt Apollos enjoyed Priscilla's lamb chops, but when he left that home he was not merely a well-fed man but one whose soul had grown.

Here again is something for husband and wife today. What are you doing for the people who come in your door? If they come for dinner you wouldn't insult them with trash or poison. What do you give their minds, their souls? Poison, trash or food?

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The Church in Their House

EVIDENTLY the P & A tents made enough money for Priscilla and Aquila to have a spacious home, for we find Paul in a letter mentioning "the church in their house." This more than anything else kept these two together, a working team. You know in every church there are a few key people. They may not be conspicuous, but like the distributor under an automobile hood, if they are not there things do not run smoothly and maybe not at all.

Aquila and Priscilla were like that. Their church naturally revolved around them. This must have taken a good deal of their time, no doubt it cost them money, and it must have meant work. But if the church was in their house it was because they wanted it that way. It would be hard to believe that they asked for this so as to keep themselves from drifting apart; yet undoubtedly that was one effect of it.

The great majority of divorces are among people who have no connection with the church whatever. Many, of course, are of persons who are on church rolls somewhere. But how many broken marriages do you know among persons who are active in Christian work?

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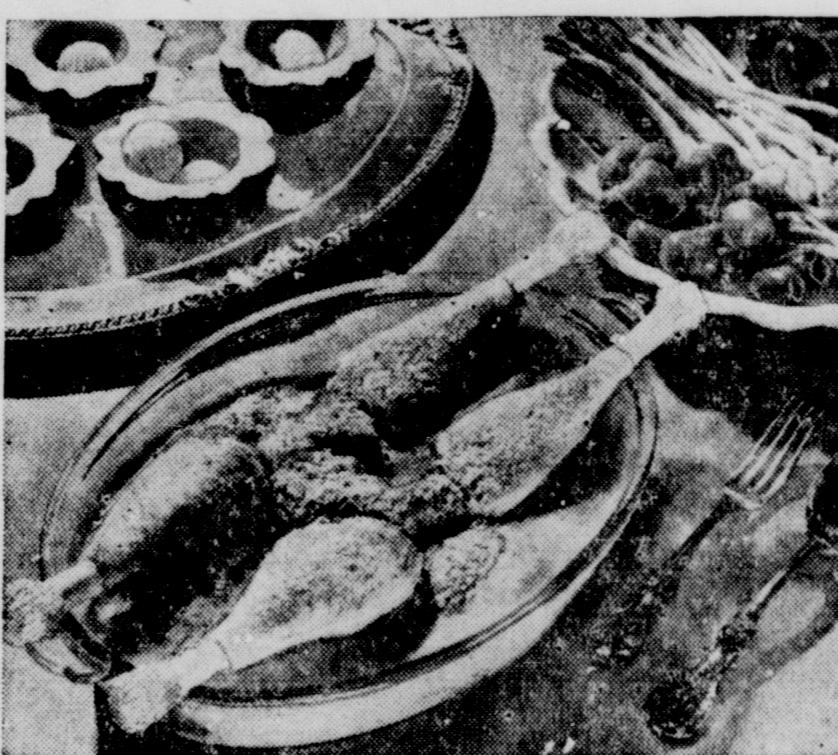
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HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers



Relishes Will Add Zestful Touch to Meals

(See recipes below)

Canning Relishes

BY THIS TIME you undoubtedly have finished your fruit and vegetable canning, but there still remain those late-in-the-season relishes. Those spicy, zesty accompaniments to meat and other entrees are almost as essential as the fruits and vegetables, and many women do not consider their canning complete without them.

Most relishes are easy to put up and there is little opportunity for spoilage if directions are followed. Enlist some help from the family for cutting up some of the vegetables and fruits and work will go forward rapidly.

SPICED GRAPES are delightful with mild-flavored meats such as lamb, veal and chicken.

Spiced Grapes

5 quarts stemmed grapes
8 cups sugar
2 cups vinegar
1 teaspoon grated nutmeg
2 teaspoons ground cinnamon
1 teaspoon ground cloves
1 teaspoon ground ginger

Pry seeds from grapes. Drain. Boil sugar, vinegar and spices for five minutes. Add grapes and cook until thick. Pour into hot sterile jars and seal at once.

If you aren't certain you have enough spreads for bread already canned, make some spicy, delicious apple butter. It may be used in sandwiches, cookies or as spread for biscuits and muffins.

Apple Butter

1 peck apples
1 gallon sweet cider
6 cups sugar
1 tablespoon cinnamon
½ teaspoon cloves

Wash and slice apples. Add cider and cook until soft. Press through sieve. Boil the strained pulp until thick enough to heap on a spoon, then add sugar mixed with spices and continue boiling until so thick that no liquids runs from the apples. Pour into hot jars and process for 10 minutes in a boiling water bath. Complete sealing if necessary.

RELISHES SHOULD be moist but not juicy. Chief ingredients in them should have a firm rather than mushy consistency. Vegetables in both of these relishes should be finely chopped.

Chow-Chow

1 gallon chopped cabbage
12 onions
12 green peppers
12 red peppers
2 quarts tomatoes, chopped
5 cups sugar
4 tablespoons ground mustard
1 tablespoon turmeric
1 tablespoon ground ginger
4 tablespoons celery seed
2 tablespoons mixed pickling spice
1 gallon vinegar

Mix all vegetables, which have first been chopped, with one-half cup salt. Let stand overnight, then drain. Tie spices in a bag. Add sugar and spices to vinegar. Simmer 20 minutes. Add all ingredients and simmer until hot and well seasoned. Remove spice bag and pack hot chow-chow into sterile jars; seal at once.

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Lynn Says:

Following Rules for Pickling Fruits and Vegetables

Pickles should be crisp and firm, solid and evenly colored. The correct color for the green pickle is olive rather than bright green.

Pack sufficient liquid in the jars in which you can pickle so that those top will not shrivel.

Fresh spices are your best guarantee of flavor when making pickles. Spices lose flavor as they stand so only freshly opened packages should be used.

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WHAT is the ruling factor in sport? There can be only one answer. It isn't the manager or the coach, who too often picks up entirely too much credit. It is always the material. It is the fighter—the football player—the baseball player. It is the fellow up front on the firing line.

During the recent winter season, football went on a wild rampage in the shift of coaches. There were shifts all over the map—Navy, Michigan, Harvard, Yale, Washington and Kansas.

Then, in the middle of the baseball season, there was another wild upheaval with Durocher going to the Giants, Shotton back to the Dodgers, Dusty Cooke to the Phillies—the earlier rumors that Joe McCarthy was through — reports of a family friction with the Athletics — trouble in St. Louis — trouble in Chicago—too many reports to follow.

What too many people overlook is this: It is the material, not the coach or the manager, that has the final say. Certainly, the manager and coach have roles to play—often important roles. But not even a Frank Leahy or a Fritz Crisler was ever as important as the material. No Leahy, a great coach, was ever up to a Lujack, a Connor, a Fischer, or a Czarskis.

Of course, a big part of a manager's job is to get the best material. That is also a big part of the coach's job in football—and this goes for the colleges as well as the pros.

A winning baseball team needs that pitcher—or that hitter—more than one of them. A winning college football team needs that passer, ball carrier and blocker.

The coach gets far too much credit for victory and far too much blame for defeat. The same is true of a pennant race. They pile too many olive blossoms on the winner and too many strands of poison ivy on the loser.

Many a big league manager has been made—and many a one wrecked—by the material he had. Don't forget this in the build-up and the knock-over.

Start of Passing

The passing game in college reached its peak last fall. The colleges had Bobby Layne of Texas, Chuck Connerly of Mississippi, Harry Gilmer of Alabama, Johnny Lujack of Notre Dame, Tony Minisi of Penn, Ray Evans of Kansas, Bob Chappius of Michigan and many others.

These have all moved over into the pro group. With Paul Givens, Sammy Baugh, Sid Luckman, Otto Graham, Glenn Dobbs and others at work, the passing game will reach another peak this fall.

Who started the passing game? Here's a contribution from Buck O'Neil, a lusty old-timer:

"Dear Grant:

"I was interested in your column on Merrillat, end at West Point in the decades purled by time. You spoke of Chicago and Michigan using the forward pass back in 1906, the year that the play was introduced into football.

"Chicago had a pretty fair sort of quarterback that year, fellow named Walter Eckersall. He was 145 pounds of wildcat, and he is the man—I believe—who caught Willie Heston from behind in one game between Chicago and Michigan.

"No matter about that, but Eddie passed to Fred Walker, a fine end of the Maroon, and beat the vaunted Minnesota team through the air. Eckersall to Walker was one of the great pass combinations of their day and time.

Ahead of His Time

"Glenn Warner had some great pass experts at Carlisle, and one of the earliest combinations was Mt. Pleasant to Exendine and Gardner. Warner, always ahead of his time in coaching, developed the technique of sending linemen down the field with his ends to block out the halfbacks. The Indians were terrific in the air and, of course, their skill was attributed to some romantic bridge between the Indian and the occult.

"There was nothing mystic about the skill of the Indians, although guys like Exendine and Gardner, and that great lineman of the era, Newashe, who played end and tackle with equal skill and aboriginal ferocity, were really out of this world. The foundation of Carlisle's success was laid on blocking the halfback.

"Navy used the forward pass in 1913, but it was a haphazard thing. Harry Blodgett, a Middle halfback, told me that his orders were to 'fade five yards and throw the ball hard.'

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Add a little salt to the water in a double boiler and it will come to a boil more quickly.

To remove coffee or tea stains from teacups, dip a damp cloth in salt and rub the stains away.

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If you make your own fruit cake, here's a super way to do it. Slice the top off an orange and extract the fruit so that the shell is left in one piece. Candy the shell, let it dry; then fill it with the fruit cake batter. Steam the whole business for two hours before you bake it; and you end up with fruit cake in an attractive, edible container.

Columbus Letter Up for Sale

A rare auction of important historical documents will be held in London soon. Probably the item which will command the highest price is the letter written by Christopher Columbus in which he announced his discovery of the New World.

This letter is one of the 7,000 rare documents dealing with five centuries of North and South American history to be sold. They are in a collection formed by the late Sir Lester H. Harmsworth.

Among the other items are the prayer book of Benjamin Franklin and the deed of sale of East New Jersey by William Penn, founder of Pennsylvania.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

(The Hamlin Herald is glad to publish letters from readers on any subject, and will print them without deletion provided they do not violate laws of libel and rules of good taste. The opinions expressed in letters published here are not necessarily those of the paper.)

To the Editor:

I read think and study, near people express their views on conditions like confronts us all today. These people try to tell you that President Roosevelt and the New Deal was and is the cause of it all. This makes me wonder if people have forgotten back yonder in the twenties and on up in the thirties when the New Deal came in to control of government how quick conditions changed. These people will try to tell you the war put everything up, but if you will remember the war was not declared until 1939. This was seven or eight years after the New Deal came in to control. Surely sound thinking people have not forgot from 1923 until 1932 when banks all over the country was going broke farmers was losing their farms in fact the most of us was broke. The men that had to work for a living had to work for men. Men constructed the highway right by my house for the big sum of one dollar and a nickel per day got five days a week if he got anything else for his family he had to go where he didn't like to go down to the relief station and get what was dished out to him. Bear in mind this was before the New Deal come in to control. I say again that surely sound thinking people doesn't want to see these conditions come upon us again. Soon after President Roosevelt taken over in 1932 things begin to change and by 1933 business in general was moving up and has moved upward until now. Keep in mind these changes was not made by a Republican Congress neither was they made by the man that wanted to be president for 15 years. Here I wonder back again to the by gone years before the New Deal come in to control how conditions was and I cannot understand why people want these conditions to ever come back. The way I feel if all Democrats doesn't vote for President Truman and the New Deal. Here I pause briefly for a word to express my views. Yes I

have it. We would all be ungrateful. The Dixiecats are putting out a mighty h-wl about states rights but I believe our Supreme Courts can and will straighten this out.

Yes the call session of Congress is over. It didn't do very much.

The Republicans with the help of Mr. Dewey hatched out a premeditate political scheme to take the peoples minds off the main issues that Congress was called back to attend to and started an investigation that I think has messed things up.

Mr. Dewey has already said that he is going to make these investigations one of the main issues in his campaign but I say again why vote for a man that has wanted to be president for 15 years. I tell you he has an ax to grind and if he is elected the big boys will turn the grind rock.

So I ask you to be wise be safe be fair vote for the New Deal and keep those big boys away from that grind rock.

Respectfully,
ALBERT MOORE.

Effective Spray for Killing Ants Devised

Science has come to the housewife's rescue again. This time it's an ant killer that will clear your kitchen of all the ants. About this time of year large swarms of ants invade the kitchen, feeding on nearly everything they find, but they especially go for the sweets, meats, and fats.

Chlordane is taking the place of poisonious syrups that were once the main control of this pest. It can be used for the control of roaches too as it bis better than the well-known DDT for killing these two kitchen and pantry insects.

Again, though, it is one of those poisons that is dangerous to people to. So it's a very good idea to remove food, dishes and utensils before spraying with chlordane. If you follow the directions, it's safe and easy to do.

For treating colonies of ants and spraying in the home, use on oil solution of two or three per cent chlordane. And if you can find where the nests are pour a small amount of the liquid in the entrance of each. Check the nests again in about a week to see the results. Repeat the treatment on any of the nests that weren't killed out.

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Notice to Long Distance Telephone Users

Certain changes in charges and practices pertaining to long distance calls within the State of Texas will be made effective September 1.

Report Charges

Report charges, applied to person-to-person calls under certain conditions since 1919, will be discontinued beginning September 1.

Basic Station-to-Station Day Rates

In 74 of the 800 air line mileage distances, rates will be increased 5 cents. These involve about half of the distances up to 146 miles. Basic rates for longer distances are not affected.

Person-to-Person Day Rates

Person-to-person rates are based on the station-to-station rates. The differential between rates for station-to-station service and for person-to-person service has varied from a minimum of 10 cents per call under 31 miles to an average of over 43 per cent on calls between 31 miles and 150 miles and an average of 35 per cent on calls over 150 miles. The differential will be established with a minimum of 15 cents per call under 45 miles and a uniform differential of about 40 per cent on all other calls. Report charges will be discontinued.

Night and Sunday Rates

A discount of approximately 20 per cent from the station-to-station day rate will apply on all station-to-station calls costing over 40 cents completed during night hours and all day Sunday. The night and Sunday discount on person-to-person calls generally will equal in amount the discount on station-to-station calls between the same points.

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